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HOT WAVE LEAVES LIST OF VICTIMS

After Another Sweltering Day Experts Predict Cooler Weather.

500 DEATHS ARE DUE TO HEAT

Situation As Serious As Ever in Many Parts of Country Yesterday—Went as High as 108 at Detroit—Details.

Washington, July 5.—The loss of more than 500 lives is to be credited to the great heat wave of July 1st to 5th, 1911, which official weather advices say will abate somewhat tomorrow.

The torrid period will be memorable in weather annals for its wide extent, its long duration, its record-breaking temperatures in many places, and the long list of fatalities which it has caused.

The hundreds of news despatches which cities from the North Atlantic seaboard west to the Plains States have exchanged during the past four days, account, according to a careful review tonight, for the deaths of 431 persons from the heat and eighty from drowning—a total of 511.

Incomplete as the record is from the failure of many points to report specifically the number of such deaths, it is as serious a showing as is remembered for many years, if not a record. The number of prostrations is still more difficult to compute, but from the review of the despatches it appears that thousands have been seriously overcome by the heat in the great cities.

Hot Wave Breaking.

The hot wave is breaking. Although temperatures in some localities are hovering above the 100 mark, and are as high, if not higher, than those for yesterday, the torridity which has levied a heavy toll of death and a greater one of suffering, is about to be dissipated, according to Weather Bureau experts tonight. The Middle West, especially beyond the Mississippi Valley, still is in the grip of the hot wave, but cooler weather is expected there within the next 24 hours.

Weather Bureau officials took an optimistic view of the general situation tonight, and held out promise for relief within the next day or so.

There was much suffering in this city during the day, the temperature on the street reaching 104-1-2, although the Weather Bureau gave the official as 98. Three persons are dead and a large number of prostrations resulted here from the heat.

Reports received at the Weather Bureau tonight from Eastern and Atlantic Coast States show a decided falling off in temperature during the past 24 hours. Boston, which sweltered at 104 yesterday, found relief today when the thermometer rose only to 94. Portland, Maine, was 20 degrees cooler than yesterday, 82 being the highest recorded today. Philadelphia and Buffalo, with 94, New York city with 92, and Baltimore and Washington with 98 were other Eastern cities which showed drops in temperatures in the past 24 hours.

Light showers were reported in the upper Lake region and brought relief to the people of that section. At other points in the West the weather was fair, with the thermometer hovering above the 100 mark. Concordia, Kansas, was the hottest place today, with an official record of 108.

Death Toll Heavy. Boston, Mass., July 5.—Another day of excessive heat wilted New Englanders today. The number of deaths and prostrations today exceeded those of the two previous holidays. More than forty deaths were reported in New England, and the prostrations ran into the hundreds. Half a dozen drownings also were reported.

"Not Quite So Warm."

New York, July 5.—Although the forecasters' prediction of "not quite so warm" was literally fulfilled today, the maximum temperature being only 92 as against 94 yesterday and 97 on Monday, sweltering humanity in heat-stricken New York quite generally found little satisfaction in lower thermometer readings. The exhausting effects of the heat wave were manifested in a record tally of heat prostrations—larger by far than on any day yet of the hot spell—and a swollen death list.

The day's list of deaths of heat in the Metropolitan district was 38, up to midnight. In Manhattan and the Bronx boroughs 123 cases of heat prostration were on the police records while for the territory tributary to New York city the figure was doubled. Baltimore, July 5.—Three deaths from the heat and 26 prostrations were recorded here today.

Twenty-Nine Deaths. Philadelphia, July 5.—Twenty-nine deaths from the heat were reported at the coroner's office today, making a total of 51 cases since the present hot wave reached this city last Saturday. The maximum temperature here today was 94 degrees at 4 P. M. The average for the day was 85, 10 degrees above normal.

Deaths from the heat were also reported from many parts of the State. Heat kills 37 persons. Chicago, July 5.—Heat killed 37 persons (Continued on Page Eight.)

STRIKERS IN MEXICO CLASH

Serious State of Affairs at Capital Yesterday—Man Killed and Woman Injured—Mob Storms Street Cars—Details.

Mexico City, July 5.—The street car strike claimed its first victim tonight. In a clash between police and strikers one man was killed and a woman probably fatally injured. A number of others were more or less seriously wounded. The police charged a mob which was storming a car in a downtown street.

With the outcome of the street railway employees strike yet to be determined, the people of the capital tonight were facing two more walkouts that threaten still further the bodily comfort. Their supplies of cigarettes and breakfast rolls are endangered by strikes of tobacco factory hands, called today, and of breadmakers, promised for tomorrow.

The Street Railway Company maintained a limited service to suburbs during the afternoon and evening, following a repudiation by the car men of last night's agreement and their refusal to resume work this morning. The explanation was that a portion of the strikers disapproved of the action of the mass-meeting.

The car men gathered about two barns early today, attacking the cars which were sent out to convey crews to terminals and drove the men out. The attempt to start the service was given up then until the afternoon, when a mounted police and rurales went to the aid of a few score imported men and old employees.

The company today appealed to the British Charge d'Affaires for aid in obtaining protection for the company's property. Several clashes occurred with strikers and the rabble that gathered but the disorders were not of a serious nature. Many arrests were made. Officials believe they will be able to restore regular service on nearly all lines tomorrow.

Two hundred cigarette makers walked out because they objected, among other things, to being "trimmed" by the barber every fifteen days as was required by the rules of the company. They came to look for the national guard and an indignity which put them in a class with enlisted men of the army. They also demand an increase in wages.

A demand for more pay has been made by the United Breadmakers, of the Federal district, and their threats to strike has caused much concern.

MAY APPOINT JUDGE GRAHAM.

Formerly Candidate for Corporation Commissioner—Examine Titles.

Washington, D. C., July 5.—Senator Overman was advised by the Civil Service Commission today that an examination will be held in the larger cities of North Carolina August 5th to secure lawyers to examine land titles in connection with the purchase of land for the Appalachian Park reserve. It is not known what salary will be offered by the government, but it is understood that it will be such as will demand the best talent in the State.

It is rumored here tonight that Governor Kitchen will offer ex-Judge A. W. Graham, of Granville, the position of corporation commissioner, made vacant by the death of H. C. Brown. Judge Graham was a candidate for the place when Mr. Brown was appointed. Should Mr. Kitchen appoint Judge Graham, it is believed that the senatorial situation in the county will be somewhat muddled. Judge Graham is a brother-in-law of Judge Walter Clark, who, like the Governor, is seeking Senator Simmons' seat in the United States Senate.

H. C. B. Raleigh, N. C., July 5.—Who will succeed Henry Clay Brown as corporation commissioner? is a question that is being asked on every side now. It is expected that Governor Kitchen will name the successor to Mr. Brown within the next ten days. The commission is just now in the midst of one of its most arduous tasks, the general assessment of all the public service corporations and corporation generally for taxation, in addition to the work of the commission as State tax commission in the supervision of the tax assessments generally the State over. No one seems to have any clear idea of just who will be in the race for the place or available for it. It is expected that former Speaker of the House, A. W. Graham, of Oxford, will be in line. He was a formidable candidate against Commissioner Lee in the last State Democratic convention. There are those of an observant and calculating mind who speak of Capt. T. W. Mason, of Northampton county, as probably an especially desirable and available man for the place. Former Corporation Commissioner E. C. Beddingfield, of this county, is being mentioned as an especially well equipped man to step into this work at this time if he can be persuaded to leave his farm for official duties again. Mr. Beddingfield's health was poor at the time he retired from office and was succeeded by B. F. Aycock, the predecessor of Mr. Brown, but he is fully restored now and many are mentioning him for the place.

Pittsburg, July 5.—Nineteen persons were hurt in two street car collisions here tonight, most of whom are in hospitals. The first occurred during the evening rush hour, when defective brakes failed to hold an East Liberty car, which crashed into a Center avenue car. Both were well filled and some of the passengers were hurt in jumping. The cars were wrecked.

Gaylord's Sale now on. The biggest ever seen in Wilmington.

TAFT WAS UPHELD IN SENATE SPEECH

Senator Burton Defends President's Action in Reciprocity Matters.

REPLY TO CUMMINS' CRITICISM

Has Right to Make "Stump Speeches" and Otherwise Urge His Measure—Senate Agreed Upon Sessions Yesterday.

Washington, July 5.—The right of President Taft to negotiate the Canadian reciprocity agreement, to send it in completed form to Congress for enactment, and to defend and advocate it in "stump speeches," throughout the country, was asserted in the Senate today by Senator Burton, of Ohio, at the conclusion of an important speech in support and explanation of the reciprocity bill.

The Senate agreed at the conclusion of today's session to sit daily at 11 o'clock, and it is expected that the sessions will continue until 6 o'clock. Chairman Penrose, of the Finance Committee advocated daily sessions at 10 o'clock, but the Democrats who favor the reciprocity bill feared this would be taken as a move to force early action and would result in bitter feeling.

Senator Burton's speech followed criticism by Senator Cummins, of Iowa, Republican insurgent, earlier in the day, of the speech made by President Taft, yesterday at Indianapolis. Senator Cummins said he believed it was better for the President to try to mould opinion by appealing to the people in speeches, than for him to use the power of the President's office to pass the bill through Congress; but he criticized vigorously the Indianapolis speech, in which the President said the Canadian agreement would probably not reduce the cost of living.

"Some degree of candor has been visited on the administration for sending in this agreement," said Senator Burton. "It is the clear right of the President, under the constitution, to make communications and recommendations to Congress. It is his right also to express, on the stump, in whatever terms he may choose, his advocacy of a certain line of policy."

"Not only President Taft, but his predecessor and other Presidents have made free to advocate with no restraint sound national policies recommended by them in messages. Otherwise, the President would neither be the leader of his party, nor occupy that place in the public attention which the public demands of him."

"Of course, it is for the Senate or the House to accept or reject any and every proposition that he may send to Congress."

Senator Burton urged that the agreement, notwithstanding the position of Congress to change it, be passed without amendment. He said it undoubtedly did not please the majority that it probably has satisfied neither President Taft nor the Canadian commissioners when it was completed.

"But it is here," said Senator Burton, "and I strongly urge that it be adopted without change. Any modification renders a situation now delicate, more intricate and liable of failure."

Mr. Burton emphasized that those who based their objections to the agreement on the ground that the farmer would suffer injury, were virtually fighting for higher duties for the farmer. He said no injury to the farmer could follow the removal of duties on farm products, except in certain localities along the border. To keep the duties at the present figure, he said, would be to place the consumer at the mercy of a short market and rising prices when the time arrives that American production does not equal American consumption.

TO SPEAK ON DOCTORS' TRUST.

Senator Works Will Take Up Proposed Department of Health.

Washington, July 4.—Senator John D. Works, of California, has been making an investigation of the operations of the "doctors' trust" in its attempt to obtain the establishment of a department of health. As the result of his examination he will make a speech in the Senate on Thursday in reply to that of Senator Owen, of Oklahoma, a few days ago.

Senator Owen has striven unsuccessfully thus far, to obtain the passage of the bill for a department of health. Senator Works will answer the attack of the Oklahoma Senator on the League of Medical Freedom, organized to combat the efforts of the "doctors' trust."

Hitherto Senators have not thought it necessary to pay much attention to speeches in favor of a department of health. Senator Works thinks that some things were said by Senator Owen and printed in the Congressional Record which should not stand uncombated.

Norfolk, Va., July 5.—The torpedo boat destroyer Monaghan arrived today from Baltimore, bringing the body of Chief Machinist's Mate S. Holverson, aged 27 years, who died suddenly from heat prostration in Baltimore Monday. The burial occurs in the Norfolk Naval Hospital cemetery tomorrow.

MOTION TO NON-SUIT REFUSED

Case Against American Tobacco Company Will Go to Jury—Argument Will Consume Remainder of Week—Other Items.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 5.—Judge Henry G. Connor, this morning denied the motion of defendants for a non-suit as to the American Tobacco Company in the suit for \$1,200,000 damages demanded by the Ware-Krama Tobacco Company for the destruction of the cigarette business of the plaintiff. The plaintiffs had already last afternoon consented to a non-suit as to W. M. Carter, who was alleged to have conspired with the A. T. Company to this end.

The denying of the motion to non-suit the A. T. Company brought the case to the point of argument before the jury and after the formal preliminary motions the argument for the defendant was opened by Julius Parker, leading counsel for the A. T. Company. The order of speeches agreed upon by counsel is as follows: Parker, for the defendant; C. C. Daniels, for the plaintiff; ex-Judge R. W. Winston, for the defendant; Mr. Swindell, for the plaintiff; Mr. Green, of Norfolk, for the plaintiff; F. L. Fuller, for the defendant; F. S. Sprull, for the plaintiff, and ex-Governor Aycock (closing argument) for the defendant. It is expected that this argument of the case will consume all the remainder of the week, at least.

At the outset Judge Connor expressed the hope that counsel will confine themselves to the testimony in the case and avoid all unnecessary language to which opposing counsel might be called upon to take exception.

Mr. Guy C. Alston, former North Carolinian, now an attorney in Everett, Washington, is in the city with his wife and child, guests at the "Coville" mansion, visiting Governor and Mrs. Kitchin. Mr. Alston left North Carolina in 1885, and says that while he is closely attached to his adopted city and State, he retains his love for Carolina and rejoices in her evidences of great prosperity and increasing enterprise.

The members of the sub text book commission are to resume their official duties July 10th, taking up the work of examination of the different text-books offered for adoption for use in the public schools during the next five years. They are to have their report on the books ready by August 3rd when the bids of publishers are to be opened and the actual work of adoption begun. There are to be no more hearings unless it becomes necessary to summon one or another of the bidders to adjust some prices on a book that the commission may feel it would accept except for the price being too high.

MONUMENT TO JOURNALIST.

Shaft to "Liberator of Bulgarians" Unveiled in Ohio.

New Lexington, Ohio, July 4.—A monument to the memory of John MacGahan, an American journalist, whom the Bulgarians call their "Liberator," was unveiled here today.

MacGahan distinguished himself as a newspaper correspondent in the Russo-Turkish war, one of the results of which was the liberation of Bulgaria from the Turkish rule. He was killed in this behalf in conjunction with Arthur Forbes in rousing Europe to the point of terminating the Bulgarian atrocities.

Almost a generation ago the remains of MacGahan were brought back to Ohio and buried in a mausoleum at the request of the Governor of Ohio and the Legislature.

FOUR DEAD IN TRAIN WRECK.

Collision on Bridge in Wisconsin, Causes Catching on Fire.

Superior, Wis., July 5.—Four men were killed and three badly injured in a collision between an extra and a gravel train on the Soo line's Chicago division a few miles from this city early today. The dead and injured had been brought to Superior. Mixed train orders are said to have caused the collision.

The trains met on a bridge over the Nemadji river, the bridge catching fire. Fire apparatus is being rushed from here to the scene of the wreck. The dead and injured are all railroad men.

OUTLINES.

Judge Gary, of the United States Steel Corporation, yesterday presided over a meeting of the steel interests of the world at Brussels to form an international association. He told of conditions in this country.—A letter has been received from Pope Pius praising the stand of the United States in the world-wide campaign for peace. The letter was inspired by the recent celebration in honor of Cardinal Gibbons at Baltimore.—Senator Burton, in a speech yesterday defended the action of President Taft in regard to reciprocity, with reference to his "stump speeches" and other moves in the interest of the agreement. He was criticized by Senator Cummins.—Congressman Henry, in a speech in the House yesterday, criticized American diplomats in foreign courts.

New York markets: Money on call 2-1-4 to 2-1-2 per cent, ruling rate 3-8, closing bid 2-1-4, offered at 2-3-8; spot cotton quiet; middling higher, middling uplands 15.55, middling mid 15.10; flour was firmly held with a fair inquiry; wheat strong No. 2 red 95-3-4 elevator and 96-3-4; corn strong, export No. 2, 89 for export; oats strong standard white 52; rosin quiet, turpentine steady.

GARY HELPS FORM STEEL ALLIANCE

Interests of World Represented in Brussels for Co-Operation Plan.

BIG PROJECT NOW UNDER WAY

Judge Gary Refers to Conditions in America—Presided Over Meeting Yesterday—World Trust May be the Object.

Brussels, Germany, July 5.—The steel interests of America, Canada, England, France, Germany, Belgium, Italy, Austria and Spain, were represented by 160 delegates who met in conference today preliminary to the formation of an International Association broadly similar to the American Institute. Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, presided.

Judge Gary explained somewhat fully his views concerning a high-minded co-operation in business.

"Suppose," said he, "that a company of men engaged in business and possessing much capital, power and influence, should by their conduct, unjust or oppressive, secure universal disapproval, disgust and antagonism on the part of the public, in a brief space of time they would be driven out of business. Suppose a producer of any commodity for sale should in any way within his power ill-treat all of his customers, how long would it be before the producer would be in bankruptcy?"

"Suppose an employer of labor manifestly treated his employees unfairly and poorly. In time, as a result of the action of those interested, aided by the public sentiment, a remedy would be found and this after a great interruption of business and a loss of money."

"Again, let us assume that during a given year the demand for a product equals less than one-half of the capacity to produce, and yet each producer is greedy and anxious to sell more than his fair proportion and acts accordingly, and this attitude is maintained until destructive results which we all know are almost certain to be realized."

"It would be difficult, he continued, to bring about an ideal in business, yet a right disposition, courage, patience and the application of the highest thought might reach that position. The first essential to this was thorough acquaintance and frequent intercourse."

"There should be established and continuously maintained," said Judge Gary, a business friendship which for his neighbor that he has for himself. It is not a matter of concern to himself. It is no less in principle than the Golden Rule applies to business. Is it possible? If it is, it will be certain to pay. True it is that sometimes, and too often, deceit is practiced and that advantage has been taken by those who have been given confidence by others, but this fact should dishearten no one."

Judge Gary then sketched conditions in the United States, where he said advantages had been to the steel men. Americans, he declared, were anxious to be and keep near to their European friends.

It had been the expressed wish of many of the representatives present to form an international association for the interchange of opinions and information between iron and steel producers of the world concerning all questions relating to the industry, an organization distinguished from and broader in the scope of its activities than the existing great and splendid institutions. He believed it feasible. Necessarily, it should be formed and managed, Judge Gary concluded, so as to avoid antagonism or interference of any other institution and so as to secure public approval.

Baron Von Bodenhausen, of the Krupp works, speaking for the German group, warmly supported the idea and one by one the members representing all the nations and groups fully accepted the project.

All present had known by correspondence the purpose of the meeting, and had decided in advance to join the "Golden Rule" movement.

The conference adopted a resolution accepting Judge Gary's proposals and decided to appoint a committee tomorrow to work out a definite plan.

FOUR THOUSAND DELEGATES.

At Christian Endeavor Convention at Atlantic City.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 5.—Four thousand delegates to the 25th International Christian Endeavor convention registered at their hotel headquarters during the day. At least a thousand more are expected before the formal opening of the session on the morning of tomorrow. Among the arrivals are a score of the big men of the country, who are to address the huge gathering.

Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark, founder of the first Christian Endeavor society in 1881, now president of both the United Society of Christian Endeavor and the World's Christian Endeavor, is without opposition for re-election.

HENRY MAKES A WARM SPEECH

Says American Diplomats in Foreign Courts Disgrace Dignity of This Republic—Dollar Diplomacy Denounced.

Washington, July 5.—Lavish display by American diplomats in foreign courts was described as abasing the dignity of this Republic, "dollar diplomacy," was denounced as a dangerous thing, and American heiresses who have made international alliances were assailed in a speech in the House today by Representative Henry, of Texas.

The speech was on a motion to take from committee a resolution calling upon the Secretary of State for information relative to the purchase of embassy sites abroad.

"We may congratulate ourselves," said Mr. Henry, "that when very recently two proud and over-opulent ambassadors entered into the ancient capital of England amid a veritable riot of vulgar display and extravagance of wealth, rushing headlong to the feet of royalty, no serious casualties actually occurred."

"Such overzealous glamor and show indicates a dangerous aspect of the dollar diplomacy. Can any patriotic American, who contemplates the rising tide of lavish and almost obscene extravagance, with its source springing from the coffers of the over-rich, fall in the perception that it is rapidly undermining the foundations of every cottage in the Republic?"

"The most serious and corrupting aspect of the times is the tendency of our great millionaires, still professing admiration for our Republican institutions, to shine in splendor as great noblemen in foreign courts. In their endeavor to pave the way for such royal status, the world has been profoundly amused at the expense of this nation by the so-called system of international marriage, oftentimes secured by purchase in return for high sounding titles accidentally held by thin blooded noblemen."

"The time has come when this humiliating spectacle should be brought to a close by a decree coming from the hearts and minds of the true American citizen."

SLAYER OF TWO ESCAPES.

Rich Man Who Killed Father and Brother-in-Law.

Uniontown, Pa., July 4.—J. B. Frank Smith, member of a well known family and wealthy, who 18 months ago killed his father, Porter Smith, and his brother-in-law, E. W. Moser, at Smithfield, this county, and was recently acquitted on the grounds of insanity, escaped from the county jail today. He was accompanied by two young negro boys.

Late Alexander McBeth, county detective, made an information against Stanley Smith, a brother of the fugitive, and Elizabeth Husher, who was released from jail last Saturday. Both are charged with aiding Smith to escape. They have not yet been arrested.

It is alleged that the Husher woman, while an inmate of the jail, passed several spoons to Smith. From these Smith made a key, which enabled him to unlock the door of his cell. Then he crawled through a window, from which he reached the ground by a rope made of bed sheets.

It is alleged in the information against Stanley Smith that he took his brother from Uniontown in an automobile. Young Smith killed his father when he learned his parent was about to remarry. Moser, the brother-in-law, also killed, favored the marriage.

Following the trial in which Smith attempted to brain the district attorney, he was acquitted on the grounds of insanity, but had not been transferred to an asylum.

FOUR WAITRESSES DROWNED.

Ice Pond Tragedy Near Hotel at Scranton, Pa.

Scranton, Pa., July 5.—Four waitresses at the Hotel Meadowside, Mt. Pocono, were drowned today in an ice pond near the hotel. The four waitresses were rescued unconscious. The six sat on the inner edge of the pond, where the water is 25 feet in depth, and removing shoes and stockings, began to paddle in the water, which was within easy reach of their feet. Annie Craig slipped into the pond. Her sister grabbed her and was dragged in. The girls struggling in the water, clutched at the girls on the dam, and the latter, or some of them, clutched at the drowning girls to rescue them, with the result that all six in a very few moments were fighting frantically to escape drowning. Their cries brought help from the hotel and two of the girls were rescued. The bodies have been recovered.

DR. WELLS IN RICHMOND.

Suffering From Acute Appendicitis—Resting Easily Last Night.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Richmond, Va., July 5.—Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of First Presbyterian Church, of Wilmington, accompanied by R. A. Brand, Dr. Charles Harper and J. M. Wells, Jr., reached Richmond tonight in Mr. Brand's private car, suffering with acute attack of appendicitis. He was met here by Mrs. Wells, who recently went to Buena Vista to spend the Summer. Dr. Wells was taken to Johnston-Willis Sanitarium, where it was announced late tonight that he was resting easily. He stood the trip well and probably will be operated on within the next day or two.

POPE PIUS LAUDS STAND FOR PEACE

Writes of United States as Leader in Great World-Wide Campaign.

LETTER SENT TO WHITE HOUSE

Was Inspired by Recent Jubilee at Baltimore When Cardinal Gibbons Celebrated Fiftieth Anniversary—The Letter.

Washington, July 5.—Pope Pius X. in an autograph letter received today by the Apostolic delegate to Washington, applauds the lead taken by the United States in the world-wide campaign for international peace. Although the pontiff does not mention President Taft specifically by name, a copy of the letter was forwarded tonight to the White House. It is expected the President, because of his well-known peace views, will reply to the cordial sentiments of the ruler of the Church. The letter follows:

"To our venerable brother, Dominus Titular Archbishop of Larissa, Apostolic Delegate to the United States of America:

"Venerable brother, health and apostolic benediction: We are happy to learn from you that in the United States of America under the leadership of men enjoying the highest authority with the people the more judicious members of the community are fervently desirous of maintaining the advantages of international peace. To compose differences, to restrain the outbreak of hostilities, to prevent the dangers of war, to remove even the anxieties of so-called armed peace, is indeed, in most, praiseworthy and any effort in this cause even though it may not immediately or wholly accomplish its purpose, manifests, nevertheless, a zeal which cannot, but redound to the credit of its author and be of benefit to the State. This is especially true at the present day when vast armies, instrumentalities of the most destructive to human life, and the advanced state of military science portend wars which must be a source of fear even to the most powerful rulers. Wherefore, we must heartily commend the work already begun which should be approved by all good men and especially by us holding, as we do, the supreme pontificate of the church, and representing Him who is both the God and the Prince of Peace; and we most gladly lend the weight of our authority to those who are striving to realize this most beneficent purpose. For we do not doubt that the same distinguished men who possess so much ability and such wisdom in affairs of state will construct in behalf of a struggling age a royal road for the nations leading to peace and conciliation in accordance with the laws of justice and charity, which should be observed by all. For, as much as peace consists in order, who will vainly think that it can be established unless he strives with all the force within him that due respect be everywhere given to those virtues which are the principles of order and its firmest foundation."

"As for the remaining aspects of the matter, we recall to mind the example of so many of our illustrious predecessors, who when the condition of the times permitted, rendered in this very matter also, the most signal service to the cause of humanity and the stability of governments; but since the present age allows us to aid in this cause only by pious prayers to God, we, therefore, most earnestly pray God who knows the hearts of men and inclines them as He wills, that He may grant to the nations which, with united purpose, are laboring to this end that the destruction of war and its disasters being averted, they may at length find repose in the proof of beauty of peace."

"As a pledge of divine favor and a proof of our benevolence, we must lovingly grant you, venerable brother, the apostolic benediction."

"Given at Rome, at St. Peter's the eleventh day of June, 1911, and the eighth year of our pontificate."

(signed) PIUS X.

The letter, it is understood, was inspired by the recent jubilee at Baltimore when Cardinal Gibbons celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his accession to the Church. On that occasion many of the speakers dwelt enthusiastically on the growth of the peace sentiment, President Taft being among those who lent their hearty endorsement to the sentiments expressed.

AGADIR INDICTED IN LONDON.

International Complications Are Finally Removed.

London, July 5.—Danger of International complications over the Agadir incident was removed, for the present at least, by an agreement reached by the powers today to hold "conversations" over Morocco.

The powers concerned are France, Germany, Great Britain, Spain and Russia and the proposal for pourparlers comes from Germany. It is recognized that the impending "conversations" are likely to settle definitely the status of the Arab empire, which standing at the gateway of Europe, has been constantly regarded as a possible cause of international difficulties.

SPORTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Brooklyn, 5; Boston, 2.
At Philadelphia, 6; St. Louis, 3.
At Philadelphia, 6; New York, 4.
Second: New York, 10; Philadelphia, 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	41	27	.603
Chicago	43	29	.597
New York	43	29	.597
Pittsburgh	39	33	.543
St. Louis	39	33	.543
Cincinnati	29	43	.406
Brooklyn	26	46	.361
Boston	16	54	.229

Pittsburgh, July 5.—Pittsburgh defeated St. Louis in the eighth inning, when, with two men on bases, McCarty hit for a home run. McCarty played a fine game in the field, accepting fourteen chances, which is a record for a second baseman at Forbes Field.

Salie pitched good ball, and was taken out of the game after the sixth inning, when St. Louis had a chance to win, in order to use a more competent batter. The visitors tied the score in that inning.

Pittsburgh . . . 290 070 03x—6 8 2
St. Louis . . . 000 011 100—3 9 1

Leftfield and Simon; Salie, Geyer and Bliss. Time 2:00. Umpires Klem and Brennan.

Philadelphia, July 5.—Philadelphia and New York broke even in a double-header here today. The home team won the first game 6 to 4, by hitting Mathewson's delivery hard, while New York easily won the second game by knocking Rowan off the rubber in less than two innings.

New York . . . 010 002 001—11 11 1
Philadelphia . . . 101 020 20x—6 14 3

Mathewson and Meyers and Wilson; Burns and Doolin; time 2:00; umpires Rigger and O'Day.

Second game:
New York . . . 231 060 202—10 11 2
Philadelphia . . . 010 000 000—5 6 4

Margard and Meyers and Wilson; Chalmers, Rowan, Stack, Humphries and Doolin and Madden. Time 2:30. Umpires O'Day and Rigger.

Brooklyn, July 5.—Boston's pitchers were wild today and Brooklyn ran away with the game by 5 to 2. Weaver got into trouble in the first inning, forcing in one run and letting in another by a wild pitch. Taylor was little better and was relieved by Griffin in the third. Rucker kept Brooklyn out of danger throughout.

Boston . . . 000 010 001—2 8 2
Brooklyn . . . 220 000 000—5 6 4

Weaver, Taylor and Griffin and Kline; Rucker and Bergen; time 1:45; umpires Frary and Finneran.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Washington, 7; Boston, 2.
At New York, 9; Philadelphia, 8.
At Chicago, 1; Detroit, 5.
At Cleveland, 11; St. Louis, 7.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
Detroit	48	25	.657
Philadelphia	47	26	.643
New York	37	32	.536
Chicago	34	31	.523
Boston	34	31	.523
Cleveland	34	40	.457
Washington	26	46	.361
St. Louis	18	49	.262

Detroit, July 5.—Ty Cobb scored or drove in five Detroit runs today and Chicago was defeated 8 to 1. Willett kept the visitor's seven hits scattered. Young and Olmsted were both hit hard. Manager Jennings and Pitcher Summers were both aspersed today as a result of their argument with Umpire Mullen yesterday.

Chicago . . . 001 000 000—1 7 2
Detroit . . . 201 021 11x—8 12 1

Young, Olmsted and 1:35. Umpires Mullen and Evans.

New York, July 5.—The Highlanders won the last game from the Athletics by a great ninth inning rally today. Krause relieved Bender at the beginning of the ninth. With one out, Johnson walked and Cree tripled. Krause withdrew and Leonard went into the box. Knight tied the score with a sacrifice. Chase singled through Barry and took second when Gardner beat a hit to Barry. Blair singled solidly to right, and Chase beat Lord's good throw to the plate. Blair hit the Athletics in the lead in the eighth with a home run, while McInnis was on base.

Philadelphia . . . 000 011 021—8 12 0
New York . . . 030 102 003—9 19 3

Phank, Bender, Krause and Leonard and Thomas and Lapp; Ford, Warhop, Caldwell and Sweeney and Blair; time 2:08; umpires Connolly and O'Loughlin.

Cleveland, July 5.—Cleveland defeated St. Louis 11 to 7. Harness was knocked out of the box by St. Louis but Krapp was effective after the third. Cleveland hit all three St. Louis pitchers hard, Jackson losing with a triple, a double and two singles.

Cleveland . . . 105 500 00x—11 14 2
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Krapp, Harness and Fisher; Mitchell, Hamilton, Pelt and Clarke, Kritchell. Time 1:57. Umpires Perrine and Dinneen.

Boston, July 5.—Washington won an easy victory from Boston today, 7 to 2. Johnson, who pitched a consistent game, poled a home run into the center field bleachers.

Boston . . . 000 000 020—2 6 3
Washington . . . 010 010 401—7 7 1

Pape, Moser, Collins and Williams; Johnson and Henry; time 1:50; umpires Egan and Sheridan.

SOUTHERN TERMS MADE PUBLIC.

Increase for Firemen and Hostlers and Fewer Negroes.

Atlanta, Ga., July 4.—C. J. Goff, chairman of the committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, today gave out the exact terms upon which the Southern Railway and its firemen came to terms recently, following their dispute over labor questions.

According to Mr. Goff the firemen and hostlers received a flat increase of 10 per cent. in wages.

In addition to the wage matter it was agreed to limit the number of negro firemen to a certain percentage of whites. The number of negroes will be reduced on all divisions where negroes now work.

You never saw goods so cheap as they are selling at Gaylord's Sale.

AT THE BEACH HOTELS.

Both Now Crowded With Guests—Season on in Earnest.

Visitors continue to arrive at the two splendid hotels on Wrightsville Beach and both are now crowded with guests. While many of those who are spending their vacations at the popular seashore resort are natives of North Carolina, many other States are represented as well. The resort draws visitors from Virginia, Georgia, South Carolina, Alabama and many of the other Southern States, while there are also numbers of commonwealths north of Mason and Dixon's line represented.

The beach season is at its height now and will continue so until late in August or early in September. The abnormally hot and dry weather of the season is not felt at all at Wrightsville Beach and hundreds are finding relief here. The fishing season is on in full swing and some excellent catches are made almost every day. One party succeeded in landing over 600 fine specimens of the different salt water varieties while out for a short while Tuesday. The bathing, too, is another popular pastime with the guests of the hotels and the beach is always dotted with bathers during the afternoon hours. Numbers of merry little social functions are attractive phases of the hotel life now.

Among the recent arrivals at the Seashore Hotel are the following: Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Busch, Raleigh; Hugh LaBarbee, Mrs. M. A. LaBarbee and Miss Gertrude LaBarbee, of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Robisant, Dallas, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Murphy, Dallas, N. C.; Miss Jennie Cox, Washington, N. C.; Miss Gertrude Person, Fremont; Miss Helen Slaughter, Goldboro; Miss Susan Wooten, Tarboro; Mrs. M. C. Winston, Miss Lizzie Winston, Selma, N. C.; Miss Faye Pierce, Faison, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Chambliss, Florence, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brown, Miss Ruth Moore, Raleigh; Mrs. D. B. Caldwell, Miss Ada Caldwell, Miss Lois Caldwell and Master William Caldwell, Knoxville, Tenn.; B. P. McMaster, Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jenkins, Jr., Henderson; Miss Courtney Harrison, Miss Agnes Harrison, Atlanta; Miss Mrs. Philip Shanks, Mrs. Josiah Smith, Selma, Ala.

At the Oceanic Hotel the following are among those recently arriving: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pless, Marion, N. C.; R. E. Houston, Wilson; F. L. Stearns, Raleigh; Luke Seawell, Charlotte; J. M. Hunt, Greensboro; H. S. Leard, Miss Margaret Leard, Raleigh; Miss Annie Graham, Miss Kate Montgomery, Marion, S. C.; E. A. Gasque, C. M. Brown, L. M. Phillips, Marion, S. C.; A. A. Wright, Parkton; E. McSate Carr, Rose Hill; H. L. Lyon, Whiteville; W. H. Tont, W. B. Carson, Hamlet; W. L. Evans, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Disher, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Miss Sadie Koonce, Chadbourn.

American Association.
At Minneapolis 6; St. Paul 5.
At Columbus 7; Indianapolis 5.
At Kansas City 6; Milwaukee 5.
At Louisville 9; Toledo 4.

Eastern League.
At Buffalo 9; Montreal 5.
At Baltimore 12; Providence 5.
At Rochester 2; Toronto 5.
At Newark 3; Jersey City 7.

South Atlantic League.
At Savannah 3; Jacksonville 1.
At Charleston 5; Columbus 8.
At Columbia 0; Albany 1.
At Augusta 2; Macon 6.

Southern League.
At Chattanooga 4; Memphis 0.
At Atlanta 8; Nashville 1.
At Birmingham 2; Montgomery 7.
At New Orleans-Mobile, game postponed, wet grounds.

Carolina League.
At Spartanburg 5; Greenville 3.
At Anderson 10; Charlotte 11.
At Winston-Salem 5; Greensboro 3.

Appalachian League.
At Knoxville 0; Cleveland 6. (15 innings.)
At Bristol 8; Johnson City 7. (10 innings.)
At Asheville 1; Morristown 3.

PRINCE HENRY IN THE LEAD.

Annual Auto Endurance Test Starts With 55 Entrants.

Hamburg, Germany, July 5.—Headed by Prince Henry, of Prussia, 37 German and 23 English participants started today on the annual Prince Henry automobile endurance test.

The course for this year starts here and follows various ways through Germany to Hamburg. At that point the automobiles entered in the trial will be shipped to Southampton, England. There they will again take to the road, proceeding to Edinburgh and returning to London.

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A Number of Horses Have Already Arrived to Participate in Meet—And More Are Expected to Arrive Today.

Some of the fastest trotting horses in the Carolinas are arriving in the city to participate in the first official meet to be held on the track of the Wilmington Driving Association at Highwood Park Friday and Saturday, July 7th and 8th.

Eight of the handsome thoroughbreds arrived yesterday, five of them from Marion, S. C., and three from Raleigh. They were taken to the Park and lodged in the comfortable stables which the driving Association has provided for them. There will be from 20 to 25 outside horses to take part in the different events during the two days and it is expected that the rest of these will arrive today. Among the horses already here are the following, with their records: Sandy Hal, 2:10; Dan P., 2:06; Marguerite, 2:13; and also Byrd Wilkes, a very fast horse from Raleigh. These animals will be entered in the free-for-all event, and with such records to compete against the local horses will have to exceed any speed yet shown to capture a share of the money in that race.

The track is in ideal condition for the big meet and some of the fastest racing ever witnessed in the State is expected. It is hoped that the public will show their interest in the racing by a large attendance. The driving Association has gone to a heavy expense in fitting up the track and grounds and the stockholders feel that if the public is interested in a good clean sport they will show it by attending the races. Perfect order will prevail at the track and no rowdiness or drunkenness will be tolerated.

The admission will be 50 cents, with no extra charge for the grandstand. There will be plenty of room for automobiles and carriages at positions from which a fine view of the races can be obtained. No extra charge will be made for autos or vehicles of any kind. Seats for the colored people will be provided. The power company will run a convenient car schedule to the Park on the day of the races and a fare of 10 cents for the round trip has been arranged.

Visitors who desire to see the horses work out are welcome to the track any afternoon.

STORE-BURNING CHARGED.

C. T. Lewis, White Man, Arrested for Firing His Property.

Following an investigation made by Deputy State Insurance Commissioner W. A. Scott, of Greensboro, C. T. Lewis, about 20 years old, a well known young married man of Farmers' Turnout, Brunswick county, was arrested in this city yesterday afternoon by Constable Savage, on a warrant charging him with setting fire to and burning his store at Farmers' Turnout on June 13th. Lewis was committed to jail by Magistrate Harris, in default of \$500, to await arrival of an officer from Brunswick county.

The warrant was issued by Justice Jackson Johnson, of Brunswick county, and the hearing will take place before him. The firm of Kellum & Loughlin has been engaged to appear for the defendant. Mr. Scott has been at work on the case for several days. He had an engagement to meet Lewis at The Otton Hotel yesterday afternoon. The warrant had been issued and properly endorsed by Magistrate Harris, and placed in the hands of Constable Savage for service. While Mr. Scott and Lewis were engaged in conversation Constable Savage appeared upon the scene and served the papers. The building which the defendant is accused of burning belonged to J. H. Scull, Esq., of the local bar.

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CONFERENCE AT SOUTHPORT

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(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Southport, N. C., July 5.—Conference of the Wilmington district of the Methodist church will convene tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, at which time the body will be formally organized. Opening sermon of the conference was preached tonight by Rev. M. A. Smith, of Clinton, and he was listened to with great interest.

There are fully one hundred delegates in attendance, including both ministers and laymen. In addition to the delegates quite a number of Methodists are in Southport to attend the conference. Bishop John C. Kilgo, formerly president of Trinity College, is in attendance and will preach tomorrow night. Rev. R. F. Jenkins, of Jenkins Memorial church, Raleigh, is a visitor. Dr. Massey, editor of the Raleigh Christian Advocate, Raleigh, is expected tomorrow.

Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock the conference will be organized and business will be transacted until 11 o'clock at which time there will be a sermon by Rev. L. L. Nash, D. D., of Hamlet, missionary evangelist of the North Carolina Methodist conference. During the afternoon there will be committee work and Bishop Kilgo preaches at night. The conference will remain in session through Sunday.

The following ministers who belong to this district are in attendance: Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, of Wilmington, presiding elder of the district; Rev. C. M. Lancel, of Burgaw; Rev. L. E. Sawyer, of Carteret; Rev. C. B. Valey, of Chadbourn; Rev. M. A. Smith, of Clinton; Rev. T. B. Bahr, of Columbus; Rev. J. B. Linder, of Kenansville; Rev. B. T. Rogers, of Magnolia; Rev. W. B. Humble, of Mt. Tabor; Rev. J. L. King, of New River; Rev. D. C. Gettle, of Whiteville; Rev. J. T. Stanford, of Onslow county; Rev. R. A. Bruton, of Scott's Hill; Rev. J. M. Marlow, of Shallotte; Rev. J. C. Wheedee, of Swansboro; Rev. L. T. Singleton, of Southport; Rev. C. P. Snow, of Town Creek; Rev. W. L. Rexford, of Haden Street church, Wilmington; Rev. G. T. Adams, of Fifth Street church, Wilmington; Rev. J. C. Wooten, of Grace Street church, Wilmington; Rev. E. C. Sell, of Trinity church, Wilmington. Rev. Y. E. Wright, of Wallace, is expected in Southport tomorrow and the only minister of the Wilmington district who will not be present is Rev. W. E. Brown, of Jacksonville. He is in Asheville at the present time.

KALK-OVER FOR OLLIE JAMES.

Had No Opposition in Senate—McCreary Returns.

Louisville, July 4.—Governor from 100 counties in Kentucky show that in Saturday's Democratic primary James B. McCreary, former Congressman, Governor and United States Senator, has been chosen to represent Democrats in the general election in the gubernatorial race.

His majority is close to 30,000.

Eastern Kentucky, the mountainous districts, has not yet been reported.

The race for Lieutenant Governor is the closest in the history of the State, and the result is still in doubt.

Judge James P. Edwards and Edward McDermott, candidates for this nomination, are claiming the nomination, but Edwards' lead of 1,000 votes may be eclipsed by the mountain district.

Judge Edwards issued a statement in which he said that he feared that the vote was being tampered with in the eastern part of the State.

Ollie M. James was without opposition, and he will be elected United States Senator when the General Assembly convenes in 1913.

Fearing that Senator Paynter and his friends were trying to win out after the former had withdrawn from the race after his name had been placed on the ballot, caused Congressman James to ask all voters to cast their ballots in this race.

The result was that he received a great total, while Paynter had a scattering vote.

WASHINGTON HAS CHAUFFEUR.

Patent Office Clerk's Wife Runs Auto for Hire.

Washington, July 5.—Much has been written of the "lady chauffeurs" of London, but nothing of the "lady chauffeur" of Washington, because until now there has not been a chauffeur at the capital.

The first woman to enjoy that distinction is Mrs. John Knapp, of 229 F street, north, the wife of a clerk in the Patent Office, who owns and operates an automobile of her own "for hire."

When the Knapps, who came here from the West about eight years ago, first bought their auto, they had no thought of using it for "pay passengers." They found the machine expensive, and, just as an experiment, Mrs. Knapp prevailed upon her husband to allow her to take folks out riding during the daytime for pay. She began with the neighbors, who wanted a safe and sane afternoon joy-ride at reasonable fare.

After she had taken out several parties this way she inserted an advertisement in a local paper and since then the patrons of the "lady chauffeur" have been about as many as one auto can handle.

GREAT FIGHT AT LISBON.

Takes Place Between Populace and Seamen—Details.

London, July 5.—Dispatches received by a London news agency today from Lisbon say a great fight has taken place between the populace and the seamen quartered in barracks in the city. The seamen, incited by monarchist agitators, attempted to raise an armed revolt. Revolvers and knives were used with deadly effect. The government called out all available troops, both cavalry and infantry, and after severe fighting managed to quell the revolt and restore order.

A state of panic prevails, according to these dispatches, and elaborate precautions are being taken by the authorities to suppress any further revolutionary movement.

RACES AT BATTLEBORO.

"The Sport of Kings" Popular in Eastern Carolina.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Rocky Mount, N. C., July 5.—Fast horses, many hundreds of them have had their day in Eastern Carolina and during years past the time-honored and ever new sport of horse racing has demanded the attention of many followers and the speed trials have rivaled those of the Kentucky turf. That the love of this sport is still alive was evident on yesterday when at Battleboro, to attend the races of the Battleboro Driving Association there was an attendance of more than 1,200 people, drawn from all parts of the State, especially the neighboring sections, and the day was one of unalloyed pleasure, and this, the first of similar annual events arranged by this association scored a measure of success long to be remembered by every person in attendance. At the dinner hour an old-fashioned barbecue dinner was served.

At 2 o'clock came the races on the new track that was this year built for the association and while the track is not yet as fast as the gentlemen promoting the enterprise would have it, it is as fast as it was possible to make it, and it will only be a matter of time before it will be one of the fastest tracks in Carolina. The track is located one mile from Battleboro and was built especially for the association.

In the free-for-all race to be trotted for a purse of \$75, the entries were Lillian C., entered by Mr. Johnnie Bowers, of Scotland Neck; Pater, entered by Mr. Ben Harrell, of Scotland Neck; McPell, entered by Mr. Warren Woodard, of Whitakers; Tom Collins, entered by Mr. Badger Chapman, of Rocky Mount. The race was of two consecutive heats and the results were that the first heat was won in 2:25, and the second in 2:26. McPell was first, while for second honors there was a division, Lillian C. winning the first heat and Tom Collins winning the second.

In the three-minute class for a purse of \$50, the entries were Miss Johnson, by Mr. House, of Thelma; Pierce, by Mr. J. P. Fisher, of Battleboro, and Autumn Boy, by Dr. H. B. Marriott, of Battleboro. The distance was for 50 yards less than a mile. The first heat was won by Miss Johnson, with Autumn Boy second and Prince third, the time being 2:25. The second heat was won by Autumn Boy, Miss Johnson second, and Prince third, time 2:24. Third heat was won by Autumn Boy, Miss Johnson second and Prince third, time 2:30.

TURKISH TROOPS MOBILIZE.

Trouble With Albanians on Frontier, Outcome Awaited.

Constantinople, July 5.—Preparations have advanced to a stage for the general mobilization of Turkish troops in view of the continued refusal of rebellious Albanians to surrender and to the activity of Montenegrin forces along the frontier.

Government officials at the same time continue optimistic of an ultimate peaceful outcome. They assert that the Montenegrin government is bluffing. The recall of the Turkish minister at Cetinje is considered not improbable.

Vienna, July 5.—Telegrams received here today from Cetinje say that King Nicholas is sending 7,000 troops to patrol the border passes and prevent Albanian rebels from entering Montenegrin territory.

The King declares that his intentions are specific and that he will keep peace as long as he is not attacked.

London, July 5.—The rumors that Great Britain has ordered any naval movement on account of Moroccan affairs are unfounded. It is understood, however, that the British government, although it has not yet made a formal reply to Germany, has intimated to the German ambassador here that Great Britain could not contemplate without the gravest concern the possibility of the establishment of a German naval station anywhere on the Moroccan coast.

WASH OLD PAPER MONEY.

Government Buys One Machine and Will Build Another.

Washington, July 3.—A Philadelphia woman who, several months ago, washed and ironed a dirty \$1 bill so neatly that many experts pronounced it counterfeit, was indirectly responsible for the experiments which have convinced Treasury officials that the Government can wash paper money instead of always issuing new bills for the old. Quite a saving thus would be effected.

As one of the results of the woman's ingenuity contracts have been let for one laundering machine and the Government will construct another in its own shops. The problem of laundering money was almost given up long ago as hopeless.

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many a Wilmington Reader Will Feel Grateful for This Information.

When your back gives out; Becomes lame, weak or aching; When urinary troubles set in; Your kidneys are "in a bad way."

Doan's Kidney Pills can help you. Here is local evidence to prove it: Mrs. M. E. Bordeaux, 510 S. Second St., Wilmington, N. C., says, "I willingly verify my former endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills. During the past two and a half years, I have used this remedy occasionally and it has always brought the very best of results." (Statement given on December 27, 1910.)

The endorsement referred to by Mrs. Bordeaux was in substance as follows: "I suffered from dull pains in the small of my back and some days I could hardly get about to attend to my housework. I had a kidney weakness that caused me great annoyance and I know that a kidney medicine was needed. When I read about Doan's Kidney Pills, I at once got a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills and they restored me to good health. Another member of my family has also taken Doan's Kidney Pills with benefit."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

AUTO ACCIDENT YESTERDAY.

Car in Collision on Wrightsville Road—Reckless Driving Charged.

The shell road to Wrightsville Sound was the scene of an automobile accident yesterday afternoon when Mr. Arthur Newkirk's car was run into by a car belonging to J. W. Brooks, driven by a negro Claude Hull. Mr. Newkirk was driving his car. The accident occurred near the home of Sheriff S. P. Cowan, on the Sound. Both cars were damaged somewhat, and Mr. Newkirk's car had to be towed to the city.

Sheriff Cowan was at his home when the cars passed going towards Wrightsville. Sheriff stated that both cars seemed to be running at 45 miles an hour and he went in pursuit of them in his own car, with the intention of finding out who was so recklessly violating the speed law.

When the accident occurred the cars had turned and were coming back toward the city. The negro driving Mr. Brooks' car drove into the rear of Mr. Newkirk's machine, disabling the pipe that feeds the gasoline and doing other damage. The lamps on Mr. Brooks' car were smashed.

Mr. Brooks' family was in his car and in the other machine were three young ladies. Needless to say they were all badly frightened by the accident, but it is said none was hurt.

Sheriff Cowan directed Justice Geo. Harris to issue warrants for the arrest of Mr. Newkirk and the negro Hull, on the charges of exceeding the speed limit and reckless driving. Papers were served on Mr. Newkirk last night about 10:30 and Justice Harris recognized him to appear this morning. Up to a late hour the negro Hull had not been located.

ACCIDENT ON THE A. & Y.

Engine Derailed and Engineer Injured—Train Arrived Here Late.

The A. & Y. train arrived two hours late last night owing to a derailment yesterday morning near Pilot Mountain. When the engine left the track Engineer Jesse Powers, who has been running on the A. & Y. between Sanford and Mt. Airy for a number of years, jumped and received painful but not thought serious injuries. He was carried to Greensboro and placed in St. Leo's Hospital. None of the cars left the track and no one but Engineer Powers was injured. Two years ago the same engine jumped the track within a mile of where the accident occurred yesterday and two men were killed.

An auxiliary engine was secured and the train proceeded on its regular run without waiting for the regular engine to be gotten upon the track.

Hay Fever and Summer Colds

MUST BE RELIEVED QUICKLY AND WE RECOMMEND

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound

For quick and definite results.

For MEASLES COUGH, for the COUGH that follows SCARLET FEVER, for CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, for ASTHMATIC CONDITIONS, or a cough of whatever origin, including CHRONIC COUGHS of ELDERLY PEOPLE, use

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by John H. Robinson and wife, Sarah Robinson, on the 23d day of September, 1910, to K. C. Sidbury, which said mortgage is recorded in Book No. 62, on Page 118, Records of New Hanover County, and default having been made in the payment of the note secured by said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public auction for cash at the Court House door in New Hanover County, in the City of Wilmington, at twelve o'clock on the 15th day of July, 1911, the following described real estate:

Six acres of land near and easterly of the Castle Haynes macadamized road, about six miles northwardly from the City of Wilmington, N. C., and beginning at a stake in the edge of Delossette Bay, and in the Berwyn line, and runs thence with that line south 2 degrees west, eleven chains, to a stake; Anderson Harrell's beginning corner; thence about north 88 degrees west, with said Harrell's line, eight chains and twenty-five links, to a stake; and thence easterly along the southern edge of Delossette's Bay with its various lines to the beginning, containing nine acres. Take the 15th day of June, 1911.

K. C. SIDBURY, Mortgagee.

1615-1414

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executor of Isaac Bear, deceased, I hereby notify all parties holding claims against his estate to present them to the undersigned within one year from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All parties indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 20th day of June, 1911.

KAMUEL BEAR, JR., Executor of Isaac Bear, dec'd.

1622-1414

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ARCHITECT

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S.S.S. FOR SUMMER SKIN DISEASES

During the summer most persons are annoyed with pimples, boils, rashes or eruptions, while others suffer more severely with Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, or some kindred skin disease. All skin affections come from humors and acids in the circulation. The blood, as it circulates through the system, deposits these humors and acids in the sensitive membranous flesh which lies just beneath the outer skin. This acid matter causes inflammation and a discharge which breaks through the delicate cuticle, and skin diseases are the result. To cure any skin trouble the blood must be freed from all acids and humors, and for this purpose nothing equals S.S.S. This great blood purifier completely removes every particle of the impurity, enriches the blood, and in this way permanently cures skin diseases. S.S.S. cures because it purifies the blood and thus does away with the cause. Book on skin diseases and any medical advice you may desire sent free. S.S.S. is for sale at drug stores.

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Cash Raising Sale

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Everything in his big stock has been cut to bed rock in order to raise the "Rocks".

In Millinery Hats that sold last week for \$2.00 are selling this week for \$1.00 and those that sold for \$5.00 are now selling for \$2.50.

25c Flowers are now selling for 10c and 50c Flowers for 25c.

Number 100 Ribbon for Hair and Belts about five inches wide, this week for 10c.

Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts at 69c.

\$1.00 Straw Hats for 35c; 50c Straw Hats for 19c.

Japanese Art Squares, 9x12 feet, ...\$2.98

Eight foot Hammocks, for 75c and\$2.00

39c Togo Silk in all shades for 23c

And everything in this mammoth stock has been cut in proportion.

From the rush and roar of the big crowd of eager buyers and the stir of busy clerks it looks more like a GIVE AWAY SALE than anything else.

Remember, this great cut in prices lasts for this week only.

210, 212, 214 N. Front St.

EXCURSION

Wilmington to Johnson City, Tenn.

July 11th, 1911

Over the S. A. L. and C. C. & O. Railways. For benefit of O. R. C. Division 451. Train will leave Wilmington 7 A. M., July 11th, returning leaves Johnson City, July 13th, at 8:30 A. M., giving passengers ample time to visit the great coal fields and other points of interest.

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For any information write

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No. 90, 12:40 A. M.	Goldboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points connects at Goldboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. Leaves Norfolk 12:35 P. M. and Richmond 1:10 P. M.	No. 91, 1:30 A. M.
No. 61, 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, 12:00 A. M.
No. 64, 1:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, 1:50 P. M.
No. 48, 8:00 A. M.	Goldboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, 8:15 P. M.
No. 52, 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville, Sanford and Greensboro.	No. 52, 8:06 P. M.
No. 55, 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 1:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 1:50 P. M.
No. 59, 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, 10:15 A. M.
No. 68, 2:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 69, 10:15 A. M.
No. 42, 7:00 P. M.	Goldboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Parlor, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York Trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, 8:50 A. M.

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the same, not necessarily for publica-
tion, but as a guarantee of good faith.

Thursday, July 6, 1911.

Wanted, men with more initiative
and less referend and recall.

The announcement that the "cob-
web skirt" is a new article of wear-
ing apparel is somewhat entertaining
during the hot wave.

A magazine writer discusses the
subject, "What it costs to fly." It
costs a great deal to fly. It even
costs money to fly off the handle.

When you hear rumors based on
"they say," divide them by ten and
it will be discovered that figures don't
lie if they are used cum grano salis.

President Taft should not be misled
because he was not coldly received
at a single place during his speaking
tour a few days ago when it was so
hot.

A Massachusetts woman slept 56
days but those who stayed awake will
tell her everything that's happened
while she wasn't able to see every-
thing going on.

While President Taft was in Indi-
ana a few days ago he was a guest of
Ex-Vice President Fairbanks. No
doubt, it was refreshing for the Pres-
ident to see how cool Mr. Fairbanks
takes life.

Now that some sport has again tried
to go through the Niagara rapids in
a barrel, we may soon expect to hear
that Sir Thomas Lipton will get busy
to send in another challenge to the
American yachtmen.

A few days ago when Pat Shea, the
noted burglar, had served out his sen-
tence in the Pennsylvania penitentiary
he was turned out and told to "go
West." The West used to be a good
place for a bad man to reform or else
be strung up as an object lesson.
Pat will no doubt govern himself ac-
cordingly.

Aviation is making so many strides
that wonderful achievements today
become commonplace tomorrow. The
first flight across the English Channel
created a nine-days wonder, but lit-
tle notice has been taken of the fact
that in one day the past week eleven
men flew over the channel without
creating a sensation.

The government is after the nail
trust and about the principal result
will be the pictures of \$38,000 trust-
busting lawyers who will endeavor to
create the impression that they have
"hit the nail on the head." There are
two kinds of people who laugh at
jailless trust-busting. That's us and
malefactors of great wealth.

On account of the warm weather,
the members of the Connecticut Leg-
islature attend the sessions in their
shirt sleeves. At the same time that
they will not enable anybody to see what
a member may have up his sleeve.
Therefore, the only thing to do is to
keep right on recognizing the fact that
"vigilance is the price of liberty."

Says the Richmond Virginian: "A
bill to prevent the eloping of females
under eighteen years of age has been
introduced in the Georgia Legisla-
ture. Flagrant and inexcusable leg-
islation against one class which dis-
tinctly affects two." Well, if preven-
tion prevents in this particular it may
demonstrate the efficacy of another
kind of prohibition.

We glorify the patriots who declar-
ed the independence of the United
States and won independence by fight-
ing a war that lasted eight long years.
There are some other patriots living
who are trying to preserve the inde-
pendence so dearly bought, but prob-
ably they will have to die before we
can appreciate and reward their ser-
vice to the country.

CHARLESTON'S EYES OPEN.

If anything were needed to empha-
size the vital importance of public con-
trolled terminals at our ports, Char-
leston's recent experience amply
demonstrates it. Several weeks ago
it was joyously announced from the
South Carolina port that the steamers
of the Philadelphia and Gulf Steam-
ship line would stop at Charleston on
their passage to and from Philadelphia
and New Orleans. The arrival and
departure of the first steamers under
this arrangement were chronicled, and
from the News and Courier it was
learned that good business was offered,
especially going and coming be-
tween Charleston and New Orleans.

Up to that stage of Charleston's en-
larged opportunity, everything looked
promising, and then a serious obstacle
arose in the condition that the harbor
terminals were controlled by private
interests. Private owners of the
wharves and warehouses had it in
their power to exact such wharfage
and warehouse terms as they wished,
and as a matter of fact, we infer that
they exercised the privilege of private
ownership in such a manner as to
threaten to bring about prohibition
of Charleston's new steamer service.
It is understood that the Philadelphia
and Gulf Company failed to secure a
wharf in the harbor and it appears
that unless some satisfactory arrange-
ment is made the desirable service the
new line would give Charleston will
have to go by the board. On that
point, consider what the Charleston
News and Courier of yesterday says
editorially:

"Primarily the failure of the Phila-
delphia & Gulf Steamship line to se-
cure a wharf here would be a misfor-
tune to the merchants of Charleston,
but the matter is one of importance
to the entire territory served through
this port. Every day that the threat
that it will be driven away from
Charleston hangs over the new steam-
ship company should strengthen the
popular conviction of the absolute ne-
cessity of the municipal ownership of
our wharves."

That statement and the actual facts
in the case leave no room for any other
conviction. The situation in which
Charleston finds herself is so mani-
festly detrimental to the interests of
the port and to the larger State in-
terests, that public owned terminals
constitute the only solution of a diffi-
culty that now and always will prove
a serious problem for the port that is
an individual and not a public affair.

With municipal or public controlled
terminals, as the only logical solution
of the difficulty, what of the mean ques-
tion in that connection—the ability of
a city to spend from a half million to
several million dollars for either rea-
sonable, ample or elaborate wharf and
warehouse facilities? There is the
rub with the port cities which already
are in debt and have not the ability
to create huge debts for water terminals,
which, in a certain way, may be of local
advantage but which constitute such
a public benefit that they become a
State-wide necessity. Thus the
News and Courier gets down to that
exceedingly important feature of "this
subject":

"If Charleston were not such an old
city and heavily burdened already
with debt handed down by generations
now dead and gone, there would be no
difficulty whatever about handling the
waterfront situation. Public owner-
ment is already formed. The business
men of the community are almost a
unit in agreeing that it is necessary
that the city shall own at least enough
of the wharf property to be able to
guarantee just treatment to all busi-
ness which may offer through the
port. The only question is as to how
a beginning may be made in this di-
rection under the law and without in-
creasing the taxes. The ownership
of waterfront property is a subject
which ought to be considered, how-
ever, not only by the municipality, but
by the county and the State. Carolina
South harbor is a South Carolina asset.
South Carolina should be in a position
to realize upon it."

After all, this question of whether
the ports are for private or public ben-
efit is the problem all ports are up
against. Even New York and Chicago
have found their commercial interests
held in the grip of wharf trusts or
within control of railroads which have
pre-empted the waterfronts. So far
as a port is concerned, the News and
Courier presents it in its broadest
sense when it says a port belongs to
the State instead of the municipality.
Obviously when a city cannot afford
to spend enormous sums on terminals,
there will be no municipally owned or
publicly controlled terminals. It,
therefore, remains for the State to
step in and say whether its greatest
public asset shall be utilized for the
common good or for private interests.
No city or no State should lose
control of its port, for then the ways
of relief are difficult if not impossible.
That is the reason Wilmington has
taken a step forward in this vital mat-
ter and will soon vote on a bond issue
of \$200,000 for municipal terminals.
The Star has earnestly urged a bond is-
sue and unless this port wants to be
put against just what Charleston is
now experiencing in the menace of
her commerce, the favorable action of
the voters of Wilmington is impera-
tive. The question is such a vital one
to the port that there is no getting
around it. With no public control of
port facilities, Wilmington with its
30-foot channel would be as helpless
against discrimination in water rates
as if it were located on Acorn branch
instead of on the Cape Fear.

At best, we can only make a start
with that \$200,000, for adequate termi-
nals would cost at least \$1,000,000,
and ultimately we believe North Caro-

lina will recognize that this is a great
State proposition and not a municipal
concern.

NORTH CAROLINA'S GATEWAY.

The Greensboro News sentimentously
remarks: "In the future development
of North Carolina, the inland water-
way and the deepening of the Cape
Fear river between Fayetteville and
Wilmington will play an important
part."

In the matter of lowering freights
alone, these waterways ultimately will
be worth millions of dollars to the
State, even though shipments should
be all rail. Every county in the State
will get the benefit from water based
rates. The cheaper freight rates and
the better facilities which the water-
ways will afford for transportation be-
tween commercial and manufacturing
points, will also open many material
opportunities that do not now exist.

With her 30-foot channel and the
Intra-Coastal Waterway coming past
the wharves of Wilmington, this will
indeed be the gateway port of North
Carolina. In a larger sense, Wilming-
ton will more than become the distrib-
uting point for all portions of the
State, while the great future of the
port lies in the possibility that this
will become the gateway for several
States of the Middle West.

The possibilities are here and the
great opportunities present them-
selves, so it is for the business men
of Wilmington and other North Caro-
lina cities to make a study of them so
they can become available. We re-
member the time when a large amount
of freight came by steamer to Wil-
mington and thence was distributed to
various destinations in North Carolina
and South Carolina. At one time it
was a common thing to see steamer
freights being transferred for Char-
lotte, Chester and other cities of the
Piedmont. The raise were, then
cheaper, but now there is no such
thing as a part water and rail haul
for shipments to the interior.

We see no real valid reason, how-
ever, that such shipments cannot now
be arranged. Probably it is because
consigners in the interior have never
figured on a water rate by way of Wil-
mington. Be that as it may, the time
is surely coming when Wilmington is
again to be the gateway for the dis-
tribution of freights throughout North
Carolina. In fact, a certain class of
freights for the interior might now
move through the port of Wilming-
ton, if shippers in the interior would
keep the water route in mind.

THE PUBLIC AND PAVING.
Since the public is naturally more
concerned in the expenditure of its
money than anybody else, it is recog-
nized everywhere that the public will
as to street paving should be consid-
ered. The voice of the taxpayer is
potent, and it only remains for the
property owners to get together and
have a say as to the kind of street
they want and as to the material they
would like to be adopted for paving.
Of course, they may not know what is
best, but they can advise and have
their wishes considered.

Richmond, like Wilmington, is con-
sidering the proper way to pave its
streets, and as showing that public
opinion in the matter is both pertinent
and worthy of consideration, we note
that the News Leader urges this:
"Every merchant on Church street
should attend the meeting which will
be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at
M. J. Madden's store. If the meeting
is large, unanimous and insistent, if
the men there present exhibit a con-
certed purpose to secure just recon-
sideration and they represent virtually
all who do business along that thorough-
fare, Church street will receive its
paving fund. The City Council will
not dare to defy public sentiment so
expressed. To the contrary, if the
meeting is dispirited and meagre, if
only a few attend and they are not
particularly zealous, all hope of ob-
taining a proper roadway for that ave-
nue may as well be abandoned for the
present. There are a number of mer-
chants who have given this matter
serious consideration. They have
collected data to show what appropri-
ations have been authorized during re-
cent months while the paving project
lapsed in committee. There have been
independent lines of investigation,
and the meeting is sure to be illumi-
nating. However, it makes little dif-
ference, if any, whether no new point
is added today or many are brought
forth; the fact of numbers adds
weight and every man who can should
lend his moral support to a measure
which means such obvious benefits."

It is always a good idea for the pub-
lic to take a lively interest in impor-
tant improvements going on in a city,
and if there would be more of it there
would be very little ground for com-
plaint after a thing has been done.

Don't paw up the earth over new
political discoveries that "cometh up
as a flower" and tomorrow are with-
ered and wilted and shriveled to a
nash. Take it easy and swallow all
kinds of hot air in broken doses.

While the North Carolina Press As-
sociation was meandering around in
the mountains of North Carolina they
were treated to buttermilk at a re-
ception in Boone. Of course, the edi-
tors enjoyed it like they do everything
else that is good to drink. At the same
time we have never heard of an in-
stance in which quill drivers broke
down the door to get into a reception
with buttermilk on the bill of lading.

CURRENT COMMENT.
"He (John Hays Hammond) looked
like he had on a baseball suit," re-
marks the Wilmington (N. C.) Star.

And permitting to record the interest-
ing fact that "like in its conjunctive
significance was born in North Caro-
lina.—Houston Post.

If Hines can convince the public that
all men, except himself, are liars he
has a perfect defense.—New York
World.

The Atlanta Constitution and some
other Georgia newspapers are getting
really stirred up by the repeated
manifestations of the mob spirit. A
crusade against lynching may be
about to begin, and it will need a cru-
sade to make public opinion crystal-
lize against mob law. Ten years ago,
and later, Georgia newspapers made
apologies for mobs in individual
cases. They will never gain respect
for law until they hammer on the
principle that the law can admit of
no rival; that nothing justifies an-
archy. There is a big work ahead for
the Georgia press and pulpit—as
there is for all of the other States—
Columbia State.

Some of the papers arrived at the
wrong conclusion in reading Mr. Til-
lett's address before the bar associa-
tion last week. It has been stated
that he advocated the doing away of
the jury system among the Superi-
or Court judges. Perhaps he favors
this, but he hastens to explain that
this is a constitutional provision and
cannot be done away with by legisla-
tive enactment. Mr. Tillett does favor,
however, the division of the State
into two districts, making 20 only,
which would require rotation of judges
in ten districts instead of sixteen as at
present, which would be a great help.
From some cause work for the courts
is accumulating to an astonishing Je-
gree, not only burdening the dockets,
but giving the Supreme Court more
than it can handle. There should be
a remedy, but we do not know what
it is. And the bar is about in the
same fix.—Greensboro Record.

It is just as we said it would be
—the Carolina, Clinchfield, & Ohio
railway has been leased by the Ches-
apeake & Ohio and the Seaboard Air-
Line systems. This means that
through trains from the cities on the
latter will have a new and direct
route to the Atlantic ocean on our
Southern coast. The Clinchfield road
will be extended from St. Paul, for
40 miles, to Elk River, Ky. This
road is now already under construction.
The Clinchfield road holds the
only gateway through the mountains,
giving connection with the Middle
West. Its operations by the Ches-
apeake & Ohio railroad means the re-
vival of the dream of John C. Calhoun
and Robert Y. Hayne, and the mar-
riage of the lakes and the ocean. This
new combination is not in restraint of
trade, but opens the door to the large-
scale commercial development that has
ever been known in the South.—Rich-
mond Times-Dispatch.

Representative Simpson, of Missis-
sippi, has introduced in Congress a res-
olution providing for an inquiry into
the ownership of certain lands which
adjoin the Capitol grounds at Wash-
ington and which the Government is
about to purchase. The property is
worth millions of dollars, but appar-
ently it is in the hands of a few people.
Mr. Simpson suggests that an investi-
gation will disclose that among these
owners are members of Congress or
their wives who acquired control of
the land after they had discovered that
the Government was going to buy it
and who have run the price up to an
exorbitant figure. The inquiry will be
had, of course, but we hope that it
will be shown conclusively that the
suspicions which are being entertained
are unjustified. It would be humili-
ating for it to develop that men
sent to Washington to make laws for
the Nation had abused their public
trust in any such manner for their
private gain. We have scandals
enough in our public life already.—
Charleston News and Courier.

SUGGESTS PRIZE DANCES.
"A Dancer" Thinks Would Furnish
Enjoyment at Small Cost.
Editor Morning Star:

Why don't you, like other large cit-
ies, have prize dances at Lumina?
Think what a large crowd it might
draw, and what a small expense. It would
call for no special decoration, and
what an enjoyable event it would be
for the younger people. On the night
of your souvenir dances give a special
prize for the most graceful couple
present. To the contrary, if the
meeting is dispirited and meagre, if
only a few attend and they are not
particularly zealous, all hope of ob-
taining a proper roadway for that ave-
nue may as well be abandoned for the
present. There are a number of mer-
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collected data to show what appropri-
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lapsed in committee. There have been
independent lines of investigation,
and the meeting is sure to be illumi-
nating. However, it makes little dif-
ference, if any, whether no new point
is added today or many are brought
forth; the fact of numbers adds
weight and every man who can should
lend his moral support to a measure
which means such obvious benefits."

A prize dance could be given once
a week or once a month. It would be
something to look forward to, and the
prize would not cost over \$5, such as
brooch for the ladies; a stick pin for
the gentlemen. Every one would have
an opportunity to dance for the prize.
This is only a suggestion from one
who has seen and danced many.

A DANCER.

PROMOTER WAS SHOT.

Mystery Surrounds Case of Philadel-
phia Man at Richmond, Va.
Richmond, Va., July 5.—George
Meakin, 34 years old, a promoter, who
came here from Philadelphia a few
months ago, was taken from the
house where he boarded to the city
hospital today suffering from a bullet
wound in the left breast.

The shooting is shrouded in mys-
tery. Meakin himself said it was an
accident. The police are investigat-
ing.

There is a suggestion that there
may be a woman in the case. The
wounded man's condition is said to
be serious.

Escaped With His Life.
"Twenty-one years ago I faced
an awful death," writes H. B. Martin,
Port Harrellson, S. C. "Doctors said
I had consumption and the dreadful
cough. I had looked like it, used
enough. I tried everything, I could
hear of, for my cough, and was un-
der the treatment of the best doctor
in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but
could get no relief. A friend ad-
vised me to try Dr. King's New Dis-
covery. I did so, and was completely
cured. I feel that I owe my life to
this great throat and lung cure." It
positively guaranteed for coughs, colds
and all bronchial affections. 50c and
\$1.00. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bel-
lamy.

JULY BARGAIN SALE!

it's not how little we can lose, but how fine and big the bargains can be made.

Our June business was very gratifying and we expect to make July the banner
July of our history.

White Linens and Linen Towels and Table Linens: 50c hemmed Napkins, at 39c
25c Towels, plain huck and colored border 22c

25c Table Damask, assorted patterns at 22c

65c Table Linen, 64 inches wide, all linen, at 49c

\$1.25 all Linen Table Damask, satin finish, at 98c

White Madras, 25 patterns, big variety at 18c

Plain white Madras Shirt Waists, well made, \$1.50 values, all sizes, special at 98c

\$7.50 black Voile Skirts, special at \$5.00

Muslin Underwear, great variety and great values, gown and skirt at 98c

Children's Fancy Parasols, big variety at 48c

Bath Suits, Bathing Caps and Shoes, Straw Suit Cases, Fruit Jars, Cap and Rubber.

Hammocks in
big variety,
\$1.50 to
\$6.50

DEAULTING A. C. L. CASHIER.

Brought Back to Richmond, Va., to
Stand Trial.

Richmond, Va., July 5.—Louis L.
Gregory, the defaulting cashier of the
Atlantic Coast Line Railway, arrived
here today, in charge of Detective Mc-
Mahon, from Denver, Colorado, where
he was arrested some ten days ago
or information from the police depart-
ment here. He was met at the station
by a few personal friends and a
brother only, and was at once taken
to jail to await trial on the charge
of grand larceny. He has already
been indicted. His shortage is said
to exceed \$25,000. Half of the reward
of \$1,000, offered by the company that
bonded him for his apprehension will
be claimed. It is understood, by the
Denver police department, Gregory
disappeared from Richmond May 20,
after leaving a note suggesting that
he had drowned himself in the James
river.

DEATH, July 5.—George Clark,
tonight gave up his life in a vain ef-
fort to save his dog from death, de-
vouring the wheels of a Southern Rail-
way train. Clark, who was clear of
the track, discovered the animal's
danger and rushed back, only to be
struck by the engine. He died an
hour later in a hospital. The dog
was ground beneath the wheels.

MOSCOW, July 5.—Fifteen hundred
employees of the American Harvest
Works here went on strike today.

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Re-
move Them With the New Drug.

An eminent skin specialist recently
discovered a new drug, othine—dou-
ble, strength, which is so uniformly
successful in removing freckles and
giving a clear beautiful complexion
that it is sold by J. Hicks Bunting
Drug Co., under an absolute guaran-
tee to refund the money if it fails.
Don't hide your freckles under a
veil; get an ounce of othine and re-
move them. Even the first night's
use will show a wonderful improve-
ment, some of the lighter freckles
vanishing entirely. It is absolutely
harmless, and cannot injure the most
tender skin.
Be sure to ask J. Hicks Bunting
Drug Co. for the double strength othine;
it is this that is sold on the money
back guarantee.

CAPE FEAR OIL CO.
Phone 873, Wilmington, N. C.

BATHING SUITS

Bath Suits for Men and Boys;
Prices from \$1 to \$3.50.

Men's Outing Shirts from 50c to \$3 each.

Big Ten Dollar line of Clothing.

Holeproof Silk Hose, 3 pair for \$2, guar-
anteed for three months.

J. W. H. FUCHS
28 S. Front Street

Dr. J. J. McKenna, discoverer of the
only permanent cure for the liquor
habit. No dangerous hypodermic in-
jections or nerve wrecking drugs used.
Twenty-five years' of experience and
we have the best known methods. In-
vestigate now.

DR. J. J. McKenna.
Reidsville, N. C.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS
Have you overworked your nervous sys-
tem and caused trouble with your kid-
neys and bladder? Have you pains in
loins, side, back and bladder? Have you
a flabby appearance of the face, and
under the eyes? A frequent desire to pass
urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will
cure you—Druggist, Price 50c

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Prop., Cleveland, Ohio

HARDWARE MEN OF CAROLINAS

Annual Meeting to be Held at Battery Park Hotel, Asheville Next Week—Fine Programme is Arranged.

It is expected that a number of hardware men of this section of the State will attend the annual meeting of the Hardware Association of the Carolinas, Incorporated, which will be held at Battery Park Hotel, next week, beginning Tuesday and continuing through Friday. The attendance, it is expected, will be the largest in the history of the organization. Local hardware men will be interested to know that members of the association are considering Wrightsville Beach as the place of meeting next year.

Mr. T. W. Dixon, of Charlotte, the energetic secretary of the association, has written the hotels at Wrightsville Beach for names and his request has been complied with. The present membership of the association is 375, having increased from 125 since Mr. Dixon became secretary in 1908. It is planned to spend the fourth day of the convention at Lake Toxaway, the members making the trip on a chartered train, leaving in early morning and returning that night. Among the speakers at the convention will be several distinguished men in the hardware field, including Mr. Shanon S. Jones, of Richmond, Indiana, president of the National Association; Mr. R. R. Williams, one of the editors of The Iron Age; Mr. Harry Wise, editor of The Tradesman, and Mr. Sam D. Jones, of Atlanta, whose subject will be "Personality in Business."

A contest of fireworks will be another interesting feature of the outing Friday at Toxaway. Prizes have been offered by the Winchester Arms Company and two prizes, a Remington rifle and a Savage automatic revolver, offered by the association. There will be a big picnic at Toxaway and other enjoyable features.

The programme of the convention is as follows:

Tuesday, July 11, 10:30 A. M.—Innovation—Rev. W. A. Howell. Address of Welcome on behalf of the hardware fraternity, W. B. Northrop. Response for South Carolina members—Edward Watson, Gaffney, S. C. Response for North Carolina—H. E. Reid, Lincolnton. Response for associate members—William Bennett.

Reception and introduction of delegates. Afternoon session, 2:30 P. M.—The programme is in charge of the association members and visitors. Evening session—Question box discussion, under the direction of R. R. Williams, of The Iron Age, New York City.

Wednesday, July 12, 9:30 A. M.—Roll call of officers.

Annual address of the president—W. H. Smith, Gaffney, S. C.

Annual report of the secretary.

Reports of the following committees: Grievance, Arthur Craig, chairman; Marion, S. C.; transportation, H. E. Reid, Lincolnton; legislative, C. L. Barnhardt, Lenoir, and T. P. Aughey, Columbia, S. C., followed by discussion on the reports.

Afternoon will be given to inspection of exhibits.

Night session—Address by Harry Wise, of The Tradesman, Chattanooga, Tenn. Subject, "Business in Politics." Address by Sam D. Jones, Atlanta, Georgia.

Address by Walter W. Watt, Charlotte, N. C. subject, "The Hardware Man."

Thursday, July 13.—Executive session—Report of delegates to the national convention.

Reports on the following committees: Special Insurance, M. Bonnett, chairman; Darlington, S. C.; auditing, Arthur Wellings, chairman; Darlington, S. C.; nominating, F. W. Duvall, chairman; Cheraw, S. C.

Election of officers.

Selection of next place of meeting.

Adjournment.

Thursday evening—The members of the association and their friends will be the guests of Mr. J. L. Alexander, proprietor of the Battery Park at a ball. Refreshments will be served.

Friday, July 14.—Grand finale. A great treat in store for members, visitors and guests.

A great trip to the Toxaway country will be given as the concluding number of the programme.

Everybody in attendance is expected to join in this excursion. Shooting contests on the picnic grounds.

DETAILS ARE ARRANGED.

Free-Fare Policy of Merchants Goes Into Effect Soon.

The last details in the organization of the Wilmington Trade Extension Association were wound up yesterday morning at a meeting of Chairman W. B. Cooper, Vice Chairman Geo. S. Boylan, and Secretary J. A. McGeachy, acting as a sub-committee to close up a few administrative details. A meeting of the full membership of the executive committee will be called by Chairman Cooper on Friday, at which the committee will fix the date upon which the free-fare policy will go into effect. This will depend upon the time required by the printer to finish the necessary forms and the various advertising features.

Upon instructions from the executive committee the Southern National Bank, which is the clearing house of the new association, is collecting the \$18 membership dues. It is expected that practically all of the dues will have been paid in to the bank by this evening. Should there be any delinquents in paying the dues cases will be considered by the executive committee at its session on Friday, and be disposed of as the committee thinks for the best interests of the association.

Parson's Poem A Gem.

From Rev. H. Stedman, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills. "They're such a health necessity. In every home these pills should be. If other kinds you've tried in vain, USE DR. KING'S. And be well again." Only 25c. at R. R. Belamy's.

Gaylord's Sale now on. The biggest ever seen in Wilmington.

FORMAL PROTEST ENTERED

Cow Owners Against Certain Features of Ordinance—No Action by Council, However—No More Hogs in the City.

Formal protest against the enforcement of the "cow ordinance" was made before the City Council in postponed regular weekly session yesterday afternoon by several persons who keep one or more cows. Principal objection was raised as to two provisions, one requiring a certain kind of floor in the stables and the other prohibiting a stable within 50 feet of any dwelling. The owners of the cows favored the requirement that the manure be scooped and that it be removed at stated intervals. The Council took no action, so the ordinance remains as it was first adopted.

Another matter of decided interest before the body yesterday was the adoption of an ordinance prohibiting the keeping of hogs, pigs and swine in the city limits, giving the owners until August 1st to dispose of their property. An amendment to the "horse stable ordinance" permits the use of a tamped clay floor as well as brick and cement floors. This amendment does not apply to the "cow ordinance." Other matters before the board were of a routine nature.

Mayor Smith presided and all members were present except Councilman P. Q. Moore, who has not returned from a visit North to inspect the various kinds of pavement used; also there were present Capt. Thos. D. Meares, the clerk; City Attorney McClammy, Woodus Kellum and W. P. Mammum Turner, Esq., ex-Alderman J. B. Pales, Messrs. E. C. Craft, H. L. Fongue, D. J. Jones, E. P. Keith, N. Evans, B. Solomon and others. Communications were received from the Civil Service Commission giving the results of the examinations of applicants for positions in the fire and police departments. There were nine applicants for positions in each department. According to the rules an applicant must secure a grade of not less than 80 per cent in order to pass. Out of nine applicants for positions on the police force there was only one who made more than the required grade, Mr. Richmond S. Haddock, at present on the force as a substitute, made a grade of 86.60. The others fell below 80, but none was under 70. The examination was as to the physical, mental and moral qualifications, and knowledge on local and general matters, and 100 was the basis of calculation in the standing of the applicants. There were four out of the nine in the fire department who made a grade which entitles them to favorable consideration in filling vacancies. They are W. A. Rising, 85.80; G. P. Williams, 85; Wm. L. Durham, 84.20; Henry Fergus, 80.20. Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared before the Council in behalf of the five who failed to pass. He called attention to the fact that these men have been working in the department as substitutes, receiving pay direct from the city for several months, and should be considered regular employees at the time the commission bill became effective, because there were vacancies in the places which they occupied and would have been most likely elected had the hiring commission elected to fill the places. The matter was referred to Councilman B. C. Moore, with power to act.

A communication was read from Mr. B. A. Merritt asking privilege to construct a sidewalk on Hanover street, between Fifth and Sixth. The matter was referred to City Attorney Herbert McClammy, who will make report at the next meeting.

In this connection, the request of the Tidewater Power Co., for permission to construct a dam on Hanover street, between Water and Front streets, was brought up and City Attorney McClammy stated that after looking into the matter he found that the granting of the franchise was a matter entirely with the Council. Upon motion of Councilman Perkins, seconded by Councilman Tiencken, it was decided by a unanimous vote not to grant the franchise. A letter from Mr. J. N. Hazelhurst, the well known civil engineer, inquiring as to when action would be taken on his proposition to act as consulting engineer in the construction of the municipal sewerage system was read. Action was deferred.

Upon motion of Councilman Moore the horse stables ordinance was amended so as to allow the use of tamped clay floors as well as brick and cement floors. The change was approved by the city superintendent.

A largely signed petition was read asking that the Council give the city the usual one-week vacation, beginning the first week in July. Ex-Alderman Pales called attention to the fact that the police and firemen get 10 days vacation and said he thought the city hands should get at least one week. Mr. D. J. Fergus also spoke in favor of the vacation. It was decided to defer action until the return of Councilman P. Q. Moore, in charge of the Streets Department.

Councilman B. C. Moore said that he desired the Council to authorize Councilman P. Q. Moore to buy or hire 100 or 150 men to haul materials to fill the holes in the macadam streets throughout the city. The department is in charge of the Mayor during the absence of Councilman Moore, and the Mayor stated that he would secure additional carts and push this work. This brought up a discussion relative to travel by homes where there are sick persons. Traffic on many of the streets has been stopped on account of roping off the street in front of the homes of sick persons and to get from one side of the city to another one has to go seven or eight blocks out of the way on account of the obstruction. It was stated at the meeting, Mayor Smith thought that some resolution should be adopted requiring ice wagons, etc., to drive slow in front of residences where there is sickness when so requested. The question of putting down sawdust in front of homes of the sick in order to deaden the noise made by traffic was discussed. Members of the Council stated that this would be the best way of dealing with the situation and that permission would be given to any property owners or tenant who desired to place sawdust in front of their homes for this purpose.

No More City Hogs. Upon the recommendation of Dr.

FALSE REPORTS CIRCULATED

Data Giving Actual Number Cases of Typhoid Fever in Wilmington Since May 1st—Very Mild Form—Many Discharged.

During the past few days it has been learned in this city that reports of a most absurd nature are being circulated relative to typhoid fever in Wilmington, the number of cases being enormously exaggerated. Reports from all parts of this and some of the other Southern States show that there is quite a good deal of typhoid fever this summer, it being attributed by many to the intensely dry and hot weather, and in Wilmington the health department determined to use every means to put the city in as good sanitary condition as possible and thus reduce the danger from preventable diseases, this crusade really being responsible for many of the reports that have gone out.

Yesterday afternoon data was secured from the office of Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, showing the actual number of cases of typhoid fever reported in Wilmington since the first day of May, 1911. In order to be sure that physicians were reporting all preventable diseases to the health department, a rigid ordinance was passed imposing a heavy penalty on any physician who failed to report for a period of twenty-four hours a case of smallpox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles, typhoid fever and some eight or ten other diseases. This has caused every case of fever to be reported.

Physicians' reports filed at the office of the superintendent of health show that since the 1st day of May, 1911, one hundred and fifty-seven cases of typhoid fever have been reported, this including cases under treatment at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, the number reported from that institution since May 1st being twenty-eight cases and part of these were patients from outside of the city of Wilmington.

Several days ago it was decided to get data on each case and accordingly the assistants of Dr. Nesbitt began a house-to-house canvass. Up to last night data had been secured on sixty patients reported by attending physicians as suffering from typhoid. Of this number it was found that ten had been discharged as well. Following this ratio the number of patients discharged will be between twenty-five and thirty. There are different instances where patients have been confined to their home but a very short length of time.

Since May 1st five deaths have been reported in Wilmington from typhoid fever. This gives a death rate of only a little over 3 per cent, but for the five deaths two were patients at the hospital and were brought to the hospital from points out of Wilmington, thus reducing the number of deaths from typhoid fever in Wilmington since the 1st of May to three, which places the death rate as to Wilmington patients at 2 per cent.

Many of the cases of typhoid fever are of a very mild type, what is known, so some of the leading physicians say, as para-typhoid, a name which gives a death rate of only a little over 1 per cent. One of the celebrated physicians, Dr. O. C. Para-typhoid, it is said, is but a very similar to typhoid and the general condition of the patient is such that when first taken is difficult to distinguish from the malignant type. It is said that the real difference lies in the fact that the para-typhoid is a mild form of disease by the malignant typhoid fever is not found, which, of course, is the real cause of genuine typhoid fever. With para-typhoid the patient is not usually confined for a long length of time such as is so often the case with the common form of typhoid.

The health department is making great efforts to put Wilmington in excellent sanitary condition and is making splendid headway. Several days since Dr. Nesbitt received a communication signed by about twenty of the leading business men of the city in which they expressed their confidence in the ability of the superintendent of health and tendered him their loyal support in the crusade to improve sanitary conditions in Wilmington. The Council, under the commission form of government, decided to make Wilmington a clean city and have passed a number of ordinances affecting conditions in the health department generally, among the more important being one that practically drives the cows from a large territory in the city, clears Wilmington absolutely of hogs, requires that horse stables shall conform to certain specifications and laid down in the ordinance and after the 1st of September sanitary closets will be installed all over the city to replace the closets now in use.

Mr. William Faircloth Dead. Mrs. C. C. Harris, of 513 Hanover street, yesterday received word and news that her father, Mr. William Faircloth, of Hope Mills, was dead. He had lived to the ripe old age of 89 years and, while his family knew that he could hardly expect to spend many years more in this world, news of his death was quite a shock to those near and dear to him. Mr. Faircloth is survived by his wife and seven children, five sons, J. H. Faircloth, of Lenoir; W. B., J. M. and T. P. Faircloth, of Cedar Creek, and D. D. Faircloth, of Wilmington; two daughters, Mrs. K. B. Everitt, of Cedar Creek, and Mrs. C. C. Harris, of this city.

Biggest Catch of Season. The record catch of the season at Wrightsville Beach was made Tuesday, July 4th, by a party of gentlemen who went out in the sharpie Virgie May, Capt. W. M. Wells. They landed 625 fine fish, among these being 50 fine trout. The fortunate gentlemen composing the party were Mr. W. E. Sloan, of Statesville; Messrs. G. C. Galliard, J. A. McIntyre, C. D. Ford, J. R. Adams, A. J. Mitchell, Owen Holmes, J. S. Mitchell, of Florence, S. C.; D. M. McIntosh, P. L. Easterling, E. S. Oliver, Florence, S. C.; A. L. Ford, Atlanta; H. T. Newland, W. H. McClain and E. C. Bessellieu.

HOT WEATHER DRINK.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

A teaspoonful added to a glass of cold tea or water, with sugar, is wonderfully refreshing.

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Total Resources . . . \$2,000,000.00

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

MAY ATTEND REUNION.

OPERATION NOT NECESSARY.

Brown to be Tried Friday—Jones Case Up Again Today.

At yesterday's session of the Recorder's Court Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau called the attention of the Recorder to the case against the negro Jim Brown, who killed John Lane, a mulatto, Saturday evening in front of Mr. J. E. Taylor's grocery store on Eighth and Castle streets. The killing was investigated by a coroner's jury and Brown was exonerated on the grounds of self defense.

However, the negro was kept in jail under a commitment from Magistrate John J. Fowler. Mr. Peschau stated that the negro had been committed to appear before the Recorder and the case was set for Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. City Attorney Peschau and County Attorney Marsden Bellamy will prosecute the case. They claim to have discovered evidence that was not brought out in the coroner's investigation.

The Fourth of July was not productive of much business for the Recorder's court, and with the exception of a few minor cases there was little interest at yesterday's session. Henry Riley and Louis Green, colored, were tried on charges of vagrancy, but the cases were dismissed. John Simmons, colored, was found guilty of assault and battery upon a negro by the name of Johnson. Simmons was taxed \$5 and the costs. W. A. Crouch and W. Dindolf, white, were found guilty of an affray and Crouch paid \$5 and the costs, while Dindolf was let off upon payment of the costs. Riley Dove and J. W. Randall, negroes, were taxed with the costs for violating the hitching ordinance. Four drinks were taxed \$5 each and the costs.

The case against Thomas Mask Jones, colored, charged with retailing, will come up for trial for the fourth time today. In the three previous trials the jury could not agree and a mistrial resulted each time. The jury which will hear the arguments today was selected yesterday evening.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: W. F. Alexander and wife to W. T. Smith and wife, for \$100 and other considerations, lot on Chesnut, 39 feet west from 12th street, 155x99 feet in size; Nonie R. King and Mrs. Kate B. Corbett to B. C. Wilkins, for \$30, lot No. 14 in block No. 5, "Love's Grove."

See the \$1.00 and \$2.00 hats that are selling for 25c in Gaylord's big window.

Veterans Notify Adjutant Leon That They Will Be Here.

From the number of letters Adjutant L. Leon, of the local camp, United Confederate Veterans, is receiving from camps and veterans all over the State, it is expected that the forthcoming reunion, to be held here August 2nd and 3rd, will be one of the best attended ever held in the State.

Cape Fear Camp is busy perfecting the details and arranging for the entertainment of the visitors. Nothing will be overlooked that will add to the enjoyment of the boys who were the gray and blue of Wilmington, will doubtless more than sustain her reputation for hospitality.

The committee which was appointed to arrange board and lodging for the visitors has canvassed the city and it is announced that the restaurants will give the veterans a special rate of 25 cents and up, depending upon what they desire. It is stated that a substantial meal can be secured for 25 cents. Comfortable rooms can be obtained at the rate of 40 cents a night up.

The local camp will pay for the board and lodging of all veterans who are unable to bear their own expenses, provided that Adjutant L. Leon is notified not later than ten days before the reunion that this will be expected.

Real Estate Transfers.

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Dr. J. M. Wells, Who Suffered Attack of Appendicitis, is Better.

Members of the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church and hundreds of others throughout the city will be glad to learn that an operation will not be necessary in the immediate future upon Rev. Dr. John M. Wells, pastor of the church, who suffered an acute attack of appendicitis early yesterday morning, and was taken on the morning train to Richmond, Va., for attention. He was accompanied by Mr. B. A. Brand, freight traffic manager of the A. C. L., and also an officer in the church in which Dr. Wells is pastor. A telegram received last night from Mr. Brand was to the effect that after consultation with the surgeons it was decided that an operation at this time is unnecessary. Dr. Wells stood the trip well and was reported as resting very easy last night. It is hoped that he will be able to return home in a few days.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Greensboro News: "Miss Rosa Wells is visiting friends and relatives in Wilmington."

Miss Eleanor Hill, of Augusta, Ga., is visiting Miss Katherine Hammond, at Greenville Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Croom and Miss Ruth Moore, of Burgaw, were guests at The Orion yesterday.

Miss Edith Clark left yesterday for Warrenton, to visit relatives and friends for a few weeks.

Miss Marie Grainger, who has been visiting friends in the North for the past several weeks, has returned home.

Mr. Walter Storm, of Philadelphia, is in the city for a few days on a visit to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Storm.

Rev. and Mrs. Black, of Burgaw, arrived in the city yesterday and will spend some time here and at Wrightsville Beach.

Miss Annie Kidder and Miss Florence Kidder left yesterday for Lenoir to spend the summer with Miss Annet Lewis.

Mrs. J. M. Branch, Miss Janie and Master Joseph Branch, leave today for a few weeks' visit to Julian and Greensboro, N. C.

Misses Katherine Harrington, Gusie Cashwell and Margaret Luall, of Fayetteville, are among the visitors at Wrightsville Beach.

J. W. Pless, Esq., a prominent attorney of Marion, N. C., with his family, is spending some time at The Oceanic Hotel, on Wrightsville Beach.

The regular monthly meeting of the Philathea Class of Grace M. E. church will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room. A full attendance is desired.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. John D. Bellamy, Mr. Emmett H. Bellamy and Miss Marguerite Bellamy, of Wilmington, were visitors in the city yesterday."

The regular monthly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock, in the lecture room of the First Baptist church. A full attendance is desired.

Thomasville, Ga., correspondence, Atlanta Georgian: "Mrs. W. P. Bangerman, of Wilmington, N. C., who has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Woodson, will leave next week for home."

Charlotte Chronicle, Tuesday: "Mrs. Henry B. Fowler and children, Elizabeth and Margaret, left Monday night for Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend some time at the Seashore Hotel. Mr. Fowler, who accompanied

them, will return to the city tonight."

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Croom arrived in the city Tuesday after an extended wedding tour. They were married in Jacksonville, Fla., as mentioned in the Star, about a week ago, at the home of the bride, formerly Miss Hilda Florence Bie. Many friends will tender heartfelt congratulations to the happy couple in their home, No. 610 Dock street.

MEMORY DAVIS NUPTIALS

Whiteville, N. C., July 5.—The beautiful marriage of Miss Irene Memory and Capt. James I. Davis was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Memory, on Tuesday evening, July the 4th, by Rev. Fred B. Smith, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. J. J. Adams, and was witnessed only by the relatives of the bride and groom.

The parlor was artistically decorated by Mrs. O. H. Schumaker, of Wilmington, in a color scheme of white and green. Promptly at the appointed hour the wedding march by Miss Leila Memory, announced the approach of the bride and groom who entered alone and stood before an altar of banked ferns to plight their troth. The bride never looked lovelier than she did on her wedding night. She was gowned in white point de spirit over tulle, and looked a typical picture of sweet girlhood.

Immediately after congratulations Mrs. Davis changed her wedding gown for a handsome traveling suit of golden brown, with hat, gloves and shoes to match, and the young couple left amid a shower of rice and good wishes for their future home at Southport. As Miss Irene Memory, Mrs. Davis was one of the best loved and most popular young women in Whiteville. By a sincerity of nature she endeared herself to innumerable friends, and Capt. Davis is indeed to be congratulated on winning the prize he has.

Capt. Davis has charge of the "Comstock" and is popular in both the social and business life of Southport.

The couple received some very beautiful wedding presents.

The following out-of-town friends and relatives attended the marriage: Mesdames O. H. Schumaker, Ransom Weatherbee and J. T. Sellars, Wilmington; Misses Mary Lou McCollum, of Burgaw, and Luine Watson, of Fayetteville; W. L. Willford, Wilmington.

POLICEMAN SLAYS MADMAN.

New York Officer Was Assailed

Fiercely With Clasp Knife.

New York, July 5.—After a fight lasting ten minutes with an alleged madman armed with a clasp knife policeman John J. Donnelly, of the Flushing Avenue station, his strength exhausted and his uniform torn, shot and killed a man named Eugene Cortwell early this morning at Myrtle avenue and Ryerson street, Brooklyn.

The man died an hour later in the Cumberland Street Hospital.

DRYEST PERIOD OF 40 YEARS

Rainfall Has Been Above Normal in This Section Only One Month During the Past Ten—The Figures.

Dating back for a period of ten months, and with only one of those months showing a rainfall above normal, the existing drought, according to the records of the local United States Weather Bureau, is the most prolonged since the establishment of the bureau in this city in January, 1871, or 40 years ago.

The present drought began last September, when the rainfall for the month was 1.88 inches, or 2.29 inches below normal. Since that time the rainfall has been above normal for only one month, March of this year, when it was 3.35 inches, or .26 of an inch above normal. May stands lowest of all the ten months, having only a rainfall of .28 of an inch. This breaks the local record, being the lowest rainfall ever recorded for the month.

The figures for the ten months of the drought are as follows:

Month	Rainfall	Deficit
September	1.88	3.39
October	1.72	2.92
November	.92	1.53
December	1.50	1.82
January	2.02	.47
February	.45	2.94
March	3.35	
April	.70	2.16
May	.28	3.75
June	2.14	3.48

* Rainfall for March was .36 of an inch above normal.

Thus it will be seen during the past ten months the rainfall has only been above normal in one month, March, and that only by .36 of an inch. May was the driest month of all, with only .28 of an inch rainfall and a deficiency of 3.75 and June was second in deficiency with 3.48. By adding the deficiencies and subtracting .36, the amount above normal for March, the total deficiency is found to be 22.20 inches, an unheard of condition in the local weather office.

In connection with the above figures it will be of interest to learn that the past month, June, was the warmest in Wilmington since 1890. The highest temperature reached during June of this year was 96 and the average for the month was 78.8, or 3.3 above normal. In June, 1890, the average for the month was 80.1, or 4.6 above normal. During the past June the mercury went above 90 ten times and in June, 1890 it was above the 90 mark 17 times.

The drought this year is by no means confined to this section or even this State. It has extended largely throughout the East along the Atlantic coast, and also through the Middle Atlantic States and as far west as the middle of the Mississippi Valley. At present the damage to crops in this section cannot be accurately estimated, but if the drought continues it will mean a loss of millions of dollars to farmers throughout the State.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. E. H. Rapalje, of Havana, Cuba, is visiting his brother, Mr. H. de W. Rapalje.

—Mr. W. M. Collins, of Charleston, S. C., is here on a visit to his family for several days.

—Mr. Herbert W. Hewlett left yesterday to spend his vacation in Asheville and other points in the western part of the State.

—Messrs. A. Preston and Wm. D. Cavanaugh, of Wallace, spent Tuesday in the city, the guest of their brother, Mr. B. B. Cavanaugh.

—Mr. Connor L. Geyton, of Loris, S. C., formerly of this city, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Geyton, on North Fifth street.

—Mr. Henry G. Bowden, field secretary of the Y. M. C. A., for North Carolina and South Carolina, returned to his headquarters in Charlotte yesterday, after spending his vacation at his home in this city.

—Mr. Charles D. Meyers, the general manager of the Eureka Pressing Club, will leave Friday to attend the annual convention of the National Cleaners and Dyers' Association, which will be held at Buffalo, N. Y.

—The many friends of Mr. Marion S. Harris and Master Latham Harris, who are ill of typhoid fever, will be glad to know that they are doing well and trust that they may both soon be on the road to recovery.

—The many friends in this city as well as throughout the State of Dr. E. J. Wood, who has been dangerously ill for some time, will be pleased to learn that his condition is very much improved and indications point to his certain recovery.

Excursion for Band.

For the benefit of the Cape Fear Independent Band an excursion will be run to Carolina Beach on August 3rd. The proceeds will be used toward providing uniforms and equipment for the members of the organization. The band will, of course, furnish the music for the occasion and it is expected that the affair will be largely attended.

—The report of Chief of Police John J. Fowler shows that a total of 140 arrests were made during the past month, 59 being whites and 81 negroes. In pound fees \$61.05 was collected and turned over to the city treasurer.

—Today at the Bijou theatre the performance will be given for the benefit of the Cape Fear Independent Band. A special programme has been arranged for the occasion and the band will render the music during the evening.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—The Grand Duchess Alexandra Josefovna, the oldest member of the Imperial family, is dying from inflammation of the lungs. An official bulletin issued gave her condition as extremely grave. Alexander Josefovna was princess of Saxe-Altenbourg. She was born in 1830, and was married in 1848 to Grand Duke Constantin Nicolaievitch, grand uncle of Emperor Nicholas.

..Theatrical..

At the Bijou Today.

Today is going to be the biggest ever for a moving picture theatre in Wilmington. The Bijou is going to present a Benefit Day and besides having a special programme for the occasion, and a large part of the proceeds going to a most worthy cause, a full brass band is to be in attendance to night at the Bijou and will render some merry airs. Today will be known as benefit day for the Cape Fear Independent Band, of this city, and the organization's friends will, no doubt, respond with a will. The band is going to take a large part in the event and will render a select programme. Of course, the Bijou will be kept cool and otherwise comfortable, and will offer many things in the way of proving decidedly attractive. In honor of today the Bijou management made a careful selection of films and got the very best in the market, regardless of cost. So those who go to the Bijou today may whet up their appetites to see something swell. Besides the fine band programme, there will be other musical gems, including a new song by Mr. Frank Banks. The motion picture bill is an exceptionally clever one. "The Wonderful Eye" is one of the stars for today. It deals with a stranded theatrical company and it is a scream for laughter. The manner in which the actors manage to get back to dear old Broadway is most ludicrous. Another great smile-producer is "Stubbs' New Servants." It is a film of originality, presenting fun that is new, fresh and wholesome. One of the most picturesque, as well as romantic films will be offered in "The White Medicine Man." It is a film of mystery, novelty, excitement and beauty.

It is also well to note that the usual tiny price of admission, five cents, will not be advanced for any performance today. No matter the extra size of the bill and the big extra cost the Bijou never increases its diminutive price of admission.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Sheriff S. P. Cowan desires it stated that he has withdrawn the papers of Deputy Sheriff J. A. Temple, on account of the fact that he has removed to Southport, where he will live.

—Wm. Bracy, colored, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable Savage, on a warrant from the Recorder, charging him with the larceny of \$1 from the Wilmington Grocery Company. He was lodged in jail in default of bond, and will be tried today.

—The adjourned meeting of the County Board of Education which was to have been held yesterday afternoon, was postponed until the latter part of the week, in respect of Chairman J. O. Carr, whose mother passed away at Magnolia Tuesday. Mr. Carr will return to the city today or tomorrow.

You never saw goods so cheap as they are selling at Gaylord's Sale.

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MR. W. M. CARNEY DEAD.

Native of Brunswick County Passes Away at Atmore, Ala.

Mr. J. G. Carney has received a telegram conveying to him and other members of the family the sad intelligence of the death of his uncle, Mr. W. M. Carney, at his home at Atmore, Ala., Sunday afternoon, in the 83d year of his age. Mr. Carney was a native of Brunswick county, but he went to Alabama when a boy, and when the Civil War broke out he enlisted in the cause in that State, serving with bravery throughout the struggle. He returned to Atmore, where he had several hundred acres of land. He began life anew and was very successful in his business career. He was extensively engaged in naval stores, and conducted mercantile and real estate businesses in addition. He was a good Christian man and gave liberally to charity. He frequently visited the scenes of childhood days and has many friends in New Hanover and Brunswick counties who will regret to learn

of his death. He is survived by his wife and three children, these being Mrs. Weezy, of Atmore; Mrs. Patterson, of Mobile, and Mrs. Bruce, of New York; one brother, Mr. R. E. Carney, of Columbus county, who is the father of Mr. J. G. Carney, and is himself 81 years old, and one sister, Mrs. S. A. Hargroves, of this city. All the children were at the bedside of their father, when the end came.

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Financial and Commercial

DROUGHT AND COTTON MARKET

Effect of Complaints from the South-west—Prices Steady Eleven to Twenty-four Points Higher—Features.

New York, July 5.—With nothing in the action of the cotton market at Liverpool to indicate any change of sentiment over the local holiday as a result of the government's condition report of Monday, today's trading was dominated by drought complaints from the Southwest and reports that Eastern spinners were in the market for supplies from the local stock. Closing prices were steady and from 11 to 24 points higher than the final figures of Monday.

The market opened firm at an advance of 4 to 10 points, for while the cables were a shade under expectations, weather reports indicated continued dry, hot weather in the Southwest. There was considerable selling by local speculators, with street houses and people with continental connections, but it was not until after the publication of the Western belt forecast for mid-July weather as expected and unfavorable advices from traveling crop experts in Texas, the market found up again, reaching the highest point during the late trading when December contracts sold at 13.50 or 23 points net higher, and about 28 points above the low level reached just before the publication of the government's July figures. July sold up to 14.62, or 21 points net higher on the small receipts at the ports for the day, and reports that Boston people were small buyers of spot supplies from the local stock. Closing prices were only a little higher than the top of the day, with the trade evidently very nervous, owing to fear of continued drought in the Western belt.

Receipts today, 201 bales, against 2,514 last week and 5,052 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1 bale, against 289 last year.

Cotton spot, quiet, 15 points higher. Middling uplands, 14.50; do, gulf, 15.10; sales, 400 bales, against 1,500 last year and closed steady.

Month: Open High Low Close

July 14.50 14.62 14.47 14.58

August 14.47 14.55 14.44 14.53

September 13.57 13.75 13.63 13.73

October 13.32 13.48 13.32 13.43

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HOT WAVE LEAVES

LIST OF VICTIMS

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soms, including 12 babies, and prostrated dozens in Chicago today, the fifth day of the present heat wave. A temperature of 101.5 degrees was recorded at the weather bureau tower at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, while at the street level the mercury climbed to 108 degrees.

Deaths in Cleveland.

Cleveland, July 5.—A lake breeze this afternoon caused the mercury to drop several degrees after it had reached 96 degrees in the weather bureau and 108 at the kiosk in the street, the highest marks since July 4th, 1897.

The deaths of 11 babies today are attributed to the heat. A number of prostrations were reported.

Eighteen Deaths in Boston.

Boston, July 5.—There were 18 deaths due directly to the heat within the limits of Boston during the day, and 66 cases of prostrations. In New England cities and towns outside of Boston 39 deaths were reported, making a total including Boston of 57 up to midnight.

FUNERAL OF H. C. BROWN.

All State Officers Honorary Pall Bearers—Beautiful Floral Tributes.

Raleigh, N. C., July 5.—The funeral of the late Henry Clay Brown, corporation commissioner, was held this afternoon at 5 o'clock from the Edenton Street Methodist church, of which he was a member. Dr. Harry M. North, the pastor, officiating.

There was a very large audience, and the floral tributes were especially beautiful and numerous. The interment was with Masonic honors. Mr. Brown having been a member of the Hiram Lodge, No. 49, the members of which attended in a body. The board of stewards of Edenton Street Methodist church also followed the remains in a body, as a tribute to the deceased. The honorary pall bearers included Governor Kitchin, Col. J. Bryan Grimes, secretary of State; B. R. Lacy, State treasurer; Col. W. P. Wood, State auditor; J. R. Young, commissioner of insurance; M. L. Shipman, commissioner of labor; T. W. Bickett, attorney general; Franklin McNeill, of the corporation commission; Secretary A. J. Maxwell, of the corporation commission; Adjutant General R. L. Leinster; W. T. Lee, corporation commissioner; Major W. A. Graham, commissioner of agriculture; Prof. Hugh Morison, and J. W. Bailey. The active pall bearers were Joseph C. Brown, C. J. Hunter, B. S. Germain, Robert C. Strong, Chas. Johnson, Brown Shepherd, W. A. Linahan, J. S. Griffin.

PRICES OF CORN SOARS.

Great Advance Due to Hot Weather—Reduced Crops.

Chicago, July 5.—A continuance of withering heat over the corn belt reflected in an excited corn market today, the market selling early to an extreme advance of 4-5 cents, as compared with the close last Saturday.

Buying orders flooded the pit and quotations varied as much as two and a half in different parts at the opening.

July corn closed Saturday at 60-1/4 and advanced to 65 today. September rose to 46 cents, compared with the previous close at 42 cents. Oats shored in the excitement, advancing an extreme 2-1/4 cents.

A private telegram from Kansas City says: "No precedent to go by as there have been no records like these. Temperatures Saturday and Sunday in the fields were from 106 to 115 degrees. Private advices from all over the corn belt tell the same story—Oklahoma buried to a crisp; Kansas is scorched from one end to the other."

It is reported here that implement retailers have cancelled many orders.

The best known of the crop experts here report that the condition of oats and hay is the poorest ever known. He places the July condition of oats at 67.2, as compared with 88.3 last month and that of hay at 66.4 against 80.2 in June. His reports put the present condition of corn at 82.4, as compared with 83.1 a year ago.

TRANSFERRED TO SUMTER.

Changes in the Freight Department at Florence.

Yesterday's Florence Times says: "Mr. E. Boney, who has been the efficient freight agent here for the past three years, has been transferred to Sumter to take the place of J. P. Taylor who has gone to Columbia, to succeed Mr. D. Y. Montleth, resigned. Mr. Boney and his family have taken up their residence in Sumter and he has commenced his duties in his new field. The people of Florence are loath to give up such good people as Mr. Boney and his excellent family but their good wishes go with them.

The change really means a promotion for Mr. Boney who has been in the service of the freight department of the Coast Line for several years. Mr. J. R. Chambers, a well-known man of Rocky Mount, takes the agency here."

VIRGINIA NOVELIST DEAD.

Vaughan Kester, Author of "The Prodigious Gage," Passes Away.

Washington, July 5.—Vaughan Kester, the novelist, died at his home, Gunston Hall, Fairfax county, Va., last night after a long illness.

Mr. Kester was perhaps best known as the author of "The Prodigious Gage," although he had written a number of other books. He was 41 years old and a native of New Brunswick, N. J. He is survived by his wife, his mother and one brother, Paul Kester, the dramatist.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. T. Gordon—More Money. City Grocery Co.—For Today. Peterson & Rulfs—Barefoot Sandals. Murchison National Bank—Every Facility. Wrightville Beach—The Health and Pleasure Resort.

Business Locals.

Found—Hog—Good Cook. For Sale—Jersey Cows. For Sale—Stry Sheep. For Rent—Room With Board. Newark—For An Auto. Ride. E. Warren & Son—Peach Ice Cream.

STATE PAY FOR SITE.

Details Plans for State Building Will Be Completed Soon.

Raleigh, N. C., July 5.—Chairman Ashley Horne, of the State building commission, paid today to the Grimes State Corporation the \$45,000 that the State pays for the site on Morgan street, between Fayetteville and Salisbury streets, fronting the capital square, for the State fire-proof administration building. It is expected that the details of the plans for the building will be completed within ninety days for the reception of bids and awarding the contract for the building and that the construction can be gotten under way before the new year.

The title of the site formally passed from the Grimes Corporation to the State today.

Joseph A. Godown, of Columbus, O., J. J. Barnard, and J. W. Hinsdale, Jr., are the incorporators for the Ware-U. Well Shoe Co., of this city, that propose to open a shoe store and operate a shoe factory here. The capital is \$25,000. They expect to have the plant in operation by the early fall.

Governor Kitchin grants a pardon conditioned on good behavior to Ralph Polk, serving eighteen months on the roads for assault with deadly weapon. He has served one year of the term. He is a prisoner since only 16 years old when the offense was committed.

WANAMAKER IN LONDON.

Guest of Lord Mayor at Mansion House Presented to King.

London, July 2.—A significant incident in the past week, characterizing the tendency in England to encourage friendship with America and Americans, has been the visit of John Wanamaker to the Mansion House as a guest of Sir Thomas Vesey Strong, the Lord Mayor of London, an old personal friend.

On Thursday Mr. Wanamaker occupied a seat near the King and Queen at the thanksgiving services in St. Paul's cathedral, and later sat next to the Lord Mayor at Guildhall when the King made a speech of thanks for the loyal welcome accorded him. On Friday Mr. Wanamaker visited Crystal Palace, where he was presented by the Lord Mayor to the King, who, after a conversation with the American merchant, presented him to the Queen.

Mr. Wanamaker will remain at the Mansion House until next Thursday, when he will sail for New York on the Olympic.

SESSIONS AT ASHEVILLE.

Young People's Missionary Movement. Various Features.

Asheville, N. C., July 5.—The feature of today's sessions of the Young People's Southern Educational Missionary Movement was the address of H. W. Hicks, of New York City, who discussed "The New and Enlarged Plans of Woman."

Tonight Mr. Hicks delivered an address on "The Objectives of the Missionary Movement in the South." At the close of his address denominational meetings were conducted by various leaders. Dr. E. P. Cook, of Nashville, secretary of the Missionary Board, directed the meeting of the Methodists; Dr. H. F. Williams, of Nashville, the Presbyterians, while the Baptist meeting was conducted by Miss K. L. Palding, of Deland, Fla. Miss Grace Lindley, of New York City, officiated for the Episcopalians, and the Lutherans were in charge of Rev. E. C. Cronk, of Columbia, S. C.

MURDERED IN PRISON.

Prospector Murdered for Drowning of Daughters of Partner.

Globe, Ariz., July 3.—Kingsley Olds, a prospector who attempted suicide after the drowning of Lula and Myrtle Greawick, young daughters of his mining partner, on June 24, was murdered in his cell in jail today.

Threats of lynching had been made ever since Olds came into town and announced that Indians had slain the girls and shot away part of his jaw. The bodies of the girls were found later in a river and it was learned, officers say, that Olds had mistreated and drowned them and then attempted suicide.

The single shot that killed Olds was fired from a window in the Court House 30 feet distant, while Olds lay asleep.

The murderer escaped, leaving the rifle by the window from which the shot was fired.

SEVEN DESTROYERS DAMAGED.

British Warships Strained From Vibrations of Powerful Engines.

London, July 5.—Seven of Great Britain's newest ocean going torpedo boat destroyers have been put out of action by overstraining their hulls while under full speed trials in the heavy seas of the English channel.

The destroyers Acorn, Alarm, Rifleman, Nemesis, Lyra, Nymph and Lancer left port on such a condition that all available divers were required to close the gaps in their seams pending docking.

The trouble was the result of the tremendous vibration of the powerful engines driving the little warships at a speed of 28 knots through the rough water. The rivets of the plates were started in all directions, opening gaps which caused the water to pour into the oil bunkers and rendering the fuel useless.

POURPARLERS ON MOROCCO.

French Response to German Intervention Is Awaited.

Paris, July 5.—Pourparlers are still on between France, England and Russia relative to France's response to the intervention of Germany in Morocco. Should a reply be forwarded probably it would not be before Saturday when President Fallieres and Foreign Minister de Selves are to return from their visit to Holland.

A majority of the press prints daily the following: "What Does Germany Want?" Some newspapers, like Figaro, criticize the French government for a lack of decision in defending the interest of France and accuse the cabinet of leaning too heavily on the initiative of England.

Asheville, N. C., July 5.—A decree was signed by Judge Pritchard in the United States Circuit Court today confirming the sale of the N. L. Hoover Lumber Company, of Cheraw, S. C., to A. W. Vosberg, of Clearfield, Pa., for the sum of \$1000,000. The lumber company had been adjudged a bankrupt.

AWAIT ADMIRAL TOGO.

Japanese Naval Hero Expected in New York Soon.

Washington, July 5.—The Japanese naval hero Admiral Togo, hero of the battle of the Sea of Japan will have no difficulty in viewing everything he cares to see in the New York navy yard, or indeed in any part of the naval establishment. Although a regulation of long standing prohibits the exhibition to foreign visitors of the construction in the navy yards, this will be gladly suspended by the Navy Department for the benefit of Admiral Togo. It is expected he will board the giant battleship Florida, now nearing completion in the New York navy yard.

Details of the programme for the admiral's entertainment have not yet been completed, but when he arrives in New York about August 8th, he will be received as the guest of the nation by a number of distinguished officials and army and navy officers.

GEN. EVANS' FUNERAL.

Impressive Services Over the Body of Confederate Commander.

Atlanta, Ga., July 5.—In the gray uniform of Southern Confederacy, the body of Gen. Clement A. Evans, soldier, preacher, and commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, was laid to rest in Oakland cemetery here this afternoon. National guardsmen, wearing the blue he once opposed, sounded taps and fired a salute as Gen. Evans' body was lowered into the grave.

The funeral was one of the most impressive ever held in this city. The Legislature adjourned out of respect and the funeral cortege was followed to the grave by Governor Smith and staff, Gen. Anson Mills, commanding the Department of the Gulf, U. S. Army, State house officers, members of the National Guard, Confederate veterans and members of the Legislature.

STOCK UP FOR LONG DROUGHT.

West Virginians Lay In Year's Supply of "Wet" Goods.

Martinsburg, W. Va., July 5.—For the first time in the history of Berkeley and Jefferson counties, covering a period of more than 200 years, both counties are today dry, and will remain so for at least one year.

Jefferson county was swung into the dry column by the refusal of the county court to grant a license to any one, although Charlestown, Shepherdstown and Harper's Ferry voted wet at the municipal elections. At present there is not a "wet" spot in West Virginia east of Grafton.

It is estimated that several thousand gallons of whiskey, brandy, etc., were purchased for future contingencies and stored by provident patrons of the local bars when all the saloons closed their doors last night.

The local option fight will be renewed in all its bitterness next Spring.

MRS. REES DENIES FREE LOVE.

"Prestress of Absolute Life" Testifies in Founder See's Belief.

Chicago, July 3.—Mrs. Felicia Rees, mother of Mona Rees, priestess of the "Absolute Life Cult," whom Evelyn Arthur See, founder of the cult, characterized as the "perfect woman," occupied the witness chair today at the trial of See for the abduction of Mildred Bridges.

Mrs. Rees explained the mysteries of the "Book of Truth," of which she claims part authorship. The defense introduced Mrs. Rees' testimony. It is said, to disprove the charges of the State that See wrote the book and thus make it unnecessary for See to appear on the witness stand.

A letter from Stephen Bridges to his daughter Mildred was read.

TAFT AT WHITE HOUSE.

Pleased With Effect of Reciprocity Speech in Indiana.

Washington, July 5.—President Taft returned to the capital tonight after a dusty and hot trip to Indiana, where he made three speeches at Marion and Indianapolis. On the last stage of his return trip the temperature in the President's private car was close around 100, but the chief executive showed the effects of the high temperature less than any other member of his party.

Mr. Taft expressed his hearty satisfaction over his reception in Indiana, especially with the evident effect of his speech advocating Canadian reciprocity.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 5.—"I will be in Atlantic City until further notice. Under present arrangements I will not make the last leg of my trip to Washington until Friday or Saturday," was the announcement made at noon today by Harry N. Atwood, the aviator, who flew from Governors' Island to this city yesterday.

Washington, July 5.—The loss of the battleship Maine was caused by the explosion of her three magazines. No such effect as that produced upon the vessel could have been caused by an explosion from without. Such is the opinion of Gen. Wm. H. Sixby, Chief of Engineers, U. S. A., who has returned from a personal inspection of the work of raising the Maine.

NOVEL MASSAGE CREAM.

Perfect Skin Food That Removes Wrinkles and Clears Complexion.

The most delicate skin will quickly respond to the soothing and tonic effects of Hokara and when this pure skin food is used pimples are soon a thing of the past.

As a massage cream or after shaving it is unequalled, removing all irritations and making the skin soft and velvety. Apply a little to the hands or face after washing and surprise yourself with the dead skin that comes off.

Hokara is the only massage cream that is an antiseptic and pinpoints, eczema and all skin blemishes soon disappear when it is used.

Although far superior to the ordinary massage creams and sold on a guarantee of "best you ever used or money back," yet the price is a trifle, only 25c for a liberal jar; larger size, 50c.

Sold on guarantee by J. Hicks Building Co.

GERMAN GUNBOAT WITHDRAWN.

Cruiser Three Times as Large Sent to Southern Morocco.

Berlin, July 4.—The German cruiser Berlin will relieve the gunboat Panther at Agadir, Morocco. The Berlin is three times as large as the gunboat. The official explanation of today's decision is that the Panther is too small for the office of the German Legation in Agadir. The Berlin is a protected cruiser of the third class, with a displacement of 3,200 tons and an indicated horsepower of 10,857, giving her a speed of 23 knots.

The Panther, which was first sent to the southern coast of Morocco to protect German interests, is thus replaced by a warship having not only much greater armament but triple her capacity for transporting marines.

EXPLOSION DUE TO HEAT.

One Killed and Two Missing at Hollidaysburg, Pa.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., July 5.—One man was instantly killed, two are missing, and are supposed to have been blown to pieces, and a fourth man was fatally burned today in an explosion of powder in the plant of the Standard Powder Company, at Horrell Station, near here.

The intense heat is believed to have been the cause of the explosion. The shock was felt at a distance of five miles and physicians within a radius of ten miles hastened to the works. The building took fire, but the flames were extinguished without further damage. The works are owned by Pittsburgh interests.

\$100,000 DAMAGE BY FLAMES.

Church and Newspaper Plant Among the Buildings Destroyed.

Bowling Green, Ky., July 5.—Fire destroyed the greater part of a business block in State street here today with a loss estimated at about \$100,000.

Starting in the Patterson livery stable, the fire burned that structure together with 12 horses and many vehicles, spread to the McCormick office building, which was gutted by the flames.

The office of the Bowling Green Times-Journal, the First Christian church and the Bowling Green Business University, also were destroyed. The cause of the fire is not known.

FALLS INTO WATER; DROWNS.

Father Joins Crowd About Corps Learning Terrible Truth.

New Orleans, July 5.—Returning to his home from his office late yesterday, James C. Mut, manager of a warehouse, stepped from his car at the new basin to join a crowd about the lifeless body of a boy just taken from the water. The body was that of his son, James, Jr., aged 12, one of eight children.

The lad had become overheated while riding a bicycle and stopped at the edge of the basin to cool off. A passing motorman saw him stagger and fall into the water, and bringing his car to a stop, jumped into the water fully dressed, but failed to rescue the lad. Twenty minutes later the body was brought up.

Mobile, Ala., July 5.—By the overturning of a steam shovel on the New Orleans, Mobile and Chicago Railroad at Orange, eleven miles from this city, this evening, Engineer W. B. Doolittle, of Newton, Miss., and a negro, named Lee Bonna, of Waynesboro, Miss., were killed and Ike Cottrell, of Meridian, Miss., and a fireman named Walls, both white, severely injured. The accident was due to an overload.

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FOR RENT—By family, large room; fully furnished; electric lights; phone, central; comfortable residence; references desired. Address "Private," care Star. jy6-11*

PEACH ICE CREAM today; made from delicious soft peaches. Fresh lot times, just arrived. 51c per hundred; 15c per dozen. E. Warren & Son, Phone 370. jy6-11*

FOR AN AUTO RIDE in a new machine call Newkirk at Stentner's Cigar Co.; Phone 197; Sunday, phone, 1109. jy6-6*

FOR SALE—at a reasonable price, 2 Jersey cows, fine milkers; also some house, hold furniture. Apply at 416 Bladen street. jy6-11

WANTED AT ONCE—A good cook, man or woman. Apply at 308 Grace street. jy6-11*

FOUND—Hog; white and black spotted. Owner can recover by calling at R. R. J. Sellers. Address "Private," care Star. jy6-11*

DELICADO MILLS—Three stray sheep in my lot. Owner can get same by applying to M. L. Cook, No. 2, Delgado. jy6-11

JUST ARRIVED—Car load of farm wagons; \$32.50. Wilmington Carriage Works, 1103 Castle st. jy6-11

WAKE UP! Spread out! Advertise! Multigraph imitation typewritten circulars; cheap as printers; better results. All classes typewriting and notary work. Meares Harris, Notary Public, Stenographer; 114 Princess street. Phone 708. del-tu.au.th-11

FOR RENT—The City Laundry will vacate No. 105 North Third street about June 1st, to move to their new quarters, and I will offer for rent the entire three floors of building, or other one of said floors. Apply now, so that necessary changes can be made before occupancy. Joseph D. Smith, chairman, Building Committee, City Hall, Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., 120 Princess street. Phone 766. ap23-nu.th-11

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